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STOKES DYING IN AMBUSH TRAGEDY

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Ferguson rally tonight.

Lotsa stove pipe sold this a. m.

Cob pipes coming in along with stove pipes.

Demos to have hot time at county seat this afternoon.

Few workmen already on ground for new Adams building.

Did you know Port Arthur has but one rural mail route?

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur 11, at Beaumont 4.

Dr. Henry Celaya of Galveston is spending the week-end here.

Dredge boat working in the canal at the foot of Augusta avenue.

Unusually high barometer today, Ernest Carson, weather man, informs.

A. A. Nelson, C.-C. traffic manager of Lake Charles, visitor at local chamber.

K. C. S. railroad officials visited Port Arthur for a few minutes Friday p. m.

Boy Scouts will assist election judges here at the polls November 4. Scout officials said today.

New Griffing school will be ready for occupancy after the Christmas holidays, school officials report.

Elgin H. Blalock seeking papers for organization of a Port Arthur chapter of the Aeronautical Association of America.

Capt. John Kaper made a hurried run to Port Arthur from Nederland early today in response to a call for pilots at Sabine.

F. S. Owen, Port Arthur aviator, returned from Bay City, where he made a flying trip with a passenger visiting his homefolks this week.

Clean cotton rags, white or light colored, needed by Red Cross nursing department, Mrs. Mattie C. Jackson, Red Cross nurse, said today.

Webb Miers sported a tie Friday night which has laid in his trunk since last Christmas. "I had to let it fade out a little before I could venture out with it," Webb explained.

Little Mr. Cecil Irwin Hilton, weight nine pounds, is a Port Arthur newcomer. He arrived Wednesday to gladden the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hilton, 1125 Twelfth street.

Port Arthur placed in a new consular district created by the French government, with G. P. F. Jouine, officer of the Legion of Honor, as consular agent. Houston is the headquarters of the district.

Athletic class had 10 men out for first meeting Thursday night, and they ranged in weight from 142 pounds to 286 pounds, Cap'n Dave Eddy, Scout executive and gymnastic instructor for the class, said today.

Mercury hit lowest level this fall at 6:45 a. m. today, registering 45 degrees, Ernest Carson, meteorologist in charge of U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, informs. The next lowest was on September 30, with temperature recorded at 50 degrees, Carson said.

GRAND JURY TO PROBE GEORGETOWN SHOOTING

AUSTIN, Oct. 25.—A special grand jury of the Williamson county district court will be drawn and empaneled for the purpose of investigating the fatal shooting at Georgetown on October 17 of Chas. W. Fields of Giddings, candidate for the legislature from Lee county, District Judge Jas. R. Hamilton announced Saturday morning, when he left Austin for Georgetown. The shooting of Fields occurred during a football game between the Georgetown and Giddings high schools, and Alva Townsley, of Georgetown, surrendered to officers following the tragedy and was brought to Austin and placed in the Travis county jail.

WELFARE DELEGATES MEET IN AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Oct. 25.—Delegates to the social welfare convention were gathering in Austin today to meet first with the executive committee today and to attend the conference which will open Monday. A feature of the conference will be a presentation of some of the findings of the prison survey of Texas which was directed by R. H. Baker, of Austin.

Weather Report

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight, fair; continued cool. Sunday, fair.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight, fair; frost in north portion. Sunday, fair, slightly warmer north portion.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight, fair, continued cool; frost in interior. Sunday, fair, slightly warmer in north portion.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Light to moderate northeasterly to southerly.

TIDE RECORD

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Sunday, October 26, taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey:

High tides, 2:12 a. m.; 2:36 p. m.
Low tides, 8:09 a. m.; 8:22 p. m.

Rival County Demos Slate Separate Meetings

Russ Conspiracy Against England Shown in Letter

WILL PROSECUTE TAX PUBLICATION

Revenue Bureau Orders Collectors to Act

LA FOLLETTE SCORES BAN

Says Law Intended Income Tax Publication

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Collector of customs, within 30 days, will present evidence of wilful violations of the revenue laws affecting publicity of income tax returns to United States district attorneys, it was said at the internal revenue bureau today.

WHAT BUREAU CHIEFS SAY OF PUBLICATION

Blair (commissioner) said: "I don't think it was the purpose of congress to permit publication of income tax returns. I think it is illegal to publish them. There is no reason why we should give consent to the newspapers. The law is stated in the revenue act. It is up to them to consult their own attorneys to guide their action."

Nash (deputy commissioner) said: "I believe the tax publicity mix-up will be settled without any fuss in a friendly suit before some learned judge. It is after all a question for the courts to decide. The revenue bureau is neutral in its attitude and is concerned only with obedience of the law."

This will be done under section 1018 of the new tax law, which reacted on sections 3164 and 3167 of the revised statutes. Section 3164 reads as follows:

Must Report Violations

"It shall be the duty of every collector of internal revenue having knowledge of wilful violation of any law of the United States relating to

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COTTON SLIPS

Federal Report Shows It 54.7% of Normal

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The condition of the cotton crop on October 18 was 54.7 per cent of normal, forecasting a production this year of 12,675,000 bales against 10,139,671 bales last year, the department of agriculture reported today.

Cotton ginned from the 1924 crop up to October 18, totaled 7,600,826 bales against 6,408,391 bales in the corresponding period last year.

The forecast today is an improvement of 176,000 bales over the forecast for the crop of October 1.

Fossilized Head of Big Bird is Found at Orange

Special to The News.

ORANGE, Oct. 25.—That prehistoric birds had grooves of large teeth and were of enormous size in the proportion of mastodonic animal specimens found in that period, seems indicated following the finding here this week of an enormous petrified bird's head, apparently a sea fowl of the crane type.

The cranium in its largest place measures 20 inches, from eye to eye is 9 inches distance, and from the tip end of the bill is 19 inches. The specimen was found by a local hunter and is baffling old-timers and students of nature.

Witness Says Ranger Victim of a Frameup

HOUSTON, Oct. 25.—Two charges of assault and another of using abusive language, filed against Texas Ranger Sergeant J. D. Wheatley by a Harris county farmer and his wife were dismissed here late Friday afternoon when the prosecuting witnesses failed to appear.

According to the testimony of a relative of the farmer who had been asked as to the alleged assault, she had never seen the sergeant before. She declared Wheatley was the victim of a "frameup."

WHY SHE LOST HER JEWELS WORTH $2,600

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—It develops that the reason Miss Kathryn Ray of the "Vanities" left $2,600 in jewels in her dressing room, whence they were stolen, is because her costume isn't sufficient to support that much jewelry.

Soap Sold by Contract To U. S. Weighed, Found Wanting Here

Wrapped up like a Christmas package, bound around with red tape, and heavy white paper, one lone cake of soap sealed in an airtight can was started on an official journey, to Washington, D. C., by Col. R. H. Dunn, U. S. collector of customs for the Sabine district, Friday.

The cake of soap was one out of a shipment received at the federal building here, which Col. Dunn, in his official capacity as custodian of the building, inspected and weighed and found half an ounce under the advertised weight, he said. Under government regulations, the sample cake was forwarded to the bureau of supplies, at Washington, with an official report, Col. Dunn said.

"Loss of half an ounce on one cake of soap doesn't matter so much, but when the fact is considered that thousands of cakes of soap supplied the government might be under weight, the fractional parts of ounces runs up into pounds," the customs collector said.

SCHOOL SYSTEM HERE IS PRAISED

Vocational Feature Wins Official Commendation

Vocational education inaugurated in the Port Arthur public school system within the past few weeks got away to a splendid start, officials in state and southern districts of the vocational education system, making an inspection trip here Friday and today, said.

Thomas Quigley, federal director of the southern district of the trade and vocational work in public schools; J. M. Hall, state director of the vocational education; Charles Marten, professor of vocational education at Texas A. & M. college; and V. C. Dabney, also of Texas A. & M. faculty, are in the inspecting party. T. A. Butler, in charge of the vocational training courses in the Port Arthur schools, said.

Dabney will remain in Port Arthur for the next six or eight weeks giving special instruction to the staff of vocational education teachers, school officials said today. He is a member of the teacher training department of the Texas A. & M. college, in extension work.

Official report on his inspections in Port Arthur will be filled by Quigley with George M. Sims, superintendent of the Port Arthur schools. Quigley is making a semi-annual tour of the southern district, including southern states from Virginia to New Mexico, visiting schools where vocational education courses are given.

FOR 'MA'

Major Dalrymple to Address Audience Here Tonight

A large crowd is being arranged for by the supporters of Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, democratic nominee for governor, at the meeting scheduled for tonight at 7:30 to be held at Fifth and Austin streets with Major A. V. Dalrymple of Fort Worth the principal speaker.

It is understood Major Dalrymple set out on his tour in behalf of Mrs. Ferguson's candidacy "loaded for bear," and will make a strong plea in her behalf here tonight.

Prince of Wales Fades From Page 1 Picture

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The Prince of Wales passed out of the picture today, practically unnoticed, slipping through New York yesterday and aboard the Olympic and sailing for home early this morning while every one was talking about the income tax returns. One New York paper comments editorially on the prince's departure, saying his visit "strengthened the amity between the English speaking peoples."

NEGRO CLAIMS $400 TENDER BY G.O.P. CHIEF

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—David I. Ferguson, a negro dentist of Richmond, Va., testified before the senate campaign fund investigating committee Friday that after he had refused to support the republican national ticket he received a certified check for $400 from Joseph L. Crupper, chairman of the republican state committee and collector of customs at Alexandria, La.

LABOR RULE IS UNDER ATTACK

Closely Guarded Secret Note Causes Sensation

URGED REVOLUTION

Conservatives Credited With Exposure

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Russia encountered the British protest against the "Zinoviev letter" by entering an emphatic protest of her own today.

Declaring the letter an "obvious forgery," M. Christian Rakovsky, Soviet envoy, sent a note to the foreign office protesting against its publication before he (Rakovsky) had been informed.

Tremendous Sensation

It develops that the letter—publication of which, coupled with a sharp note to Moscow, caused a tremendous sensation throughout the British Isles—has been a carefully guarded secret in innermost political circles since early October.

The letter, purporting to be from Zinoviev, president of the communist international, to British communists, urged revolution and sabotage in England. Prime Minister MacDonald yesterday sent an emphatic note protesting against the letter and asking the Russian government if it could not control its extremists and live up to its agreements—agreements which are under fire in this country, as one of the chief election issues.

London secret service men are said to have plucked the Zinoviev letter from the mails at Regina, photographed it, and then caused it to be delivered to the central committee of the British communist party.

Conservatives Claim Credit

Mac Donald and Arthur Henderson were informed and a cabinet meeting discussed the matter October 9.

The conservatives learned of the matter, however. It now is recalled that a conservative spokesman told a group of newspaper men on Tuesday:

"Watch Zinoviev, his name will be a storm center of the general election."

Meanwhile, Mac Donald had drafted his Russian note at Sheffield Tuesday. It became a race between conservatives and laborites to see which could get credit for the revelation.

The labor government made its note and the Zinoviev letter public just in time to prevent the conservative press from bursting forth with the announcement, but the press today is inclined to give the conservatives most of the credit and figure the exposure as a blow to labor.

23 Expelled in Food Walkout by Students

CLEMSON COLLEGE, S. C., Oct. 25.—Twenty three students who figured in the recent wholesale walkout at Clemson College, were under expulsion today and 112 others were suspended for the remainder of the scholastic year for playing minor roles in the strike.

The cadets expelled were those who remained on strike longer than 48 hours. Those who were out less than 48 hours received the lesser sentences.

The entire student body walked out recently in protest to the food they served in the college mess hall.

DIRIGIBLE DUE

Shenandoah Expected At Lakehurst Today

LAKEHURST, N. J., Oct. 25.—The navy's dirigible Shenandoah is expected to arrive here this afternoon but probably will not land until after dark, it was said today, following a message from Commander Zachary Lansdowne aboard the airship.

FRENCH ESTABLISH CONSULAR DISTRICT

Establishment of a new consular district by the French government, including Port Arthur, Sabine Pass, Beaumont and Houston, with G. P. F Jouine as consular agent, located in Houston, has been announced by the French government. M. Jouine is an officer of the Legion of Honor, and arrived in Houston recently to take charge of the new consulate.

Shipping interests in Port Arthur have formerly had consular transactions with French government representatives at the Galveston office.

HOT SESSIONS TODAY FORECAST

Aftermath of Warning Letters to Party Committee

BUTTE FIGHT CENTER

Political Complex Brings Mutual Protests

Two meetings of two democratic factions within Jefferson county called for this afternoon at the county court house are expected to either settle the present rift caused by the gubernatorial race or be the means of complete estrangement until after the general election, county political leaders said today.

Alleged support of nominees and members on the county committee for Dr. Butte, and insistence of other democrats that the ticket be voted straight has brought the political situation to a crux, observers said.

Separate Meetings

The democratic executive committee with all nominees of the recent primary will be one army of investigators who will draw up their lines at 1:30 this afternoon at the courthouse.

Following the sally of the executive committee and the nominees the newly organized Jefferson County Democratic Club will march onto the field at three in a special meeting.

The first meeting, if indications of nominees and executive committee who have expressed themselves are a barometer, will be barrage of inquiries as to the right of the democratic club to catechise and criticise the duly elected county party selections.

Club Threatens Action

The Democratic club members are expected to carry out their threat of recent questionnaire mailed to each candidate and brand all who have "supped with the enemy and gone after strange gods," as deserters from party ranks.

The origin of the recent ticket which appeared in Beaumont with names of democrats other than those chosen by the primary electorate thereon will also be questioned at both meetings it is indicated.

POLITICAL STICKERS ON HOUSTON AUTOS BANNED

HOUSTON, Oct. 25.—Campaigning for "Ma" Ferguson has cost several citizens of Houston much embarrassment and several cash fines.

Tucked away in the archives of the city's legal department is an ordinance which prohibits the use of stickers on automobile windshields. Few remembered there was such a thing.

Then along came the "Ma" stickers and an alert police official got busy. "Ma" stickers are scarce in Houston nowadays.

TWO WAIVE HEARING ON BOOZE CHARGES

Bonds of $500 each were allowed Marcus R. Perez, said to be a Spaniard, and Ed Rosemore, negro, arraigned before Judge Robertson in justice court Friday afternoon on charges of violating the prohibition laws, both waiving preliminary hearing to the grand jury.

Perez is charged with transporting liquor and Rosemore of possession. Arrests were made by Officers Baker, Williams and Scroggins of the police department.

MISSING BOY FOUND, WHEREABOUTS IS SECRET

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Franklin J Rosheck, 14-year-old schoolboy, missing from his home since September 21, has been located, police said today.

All information as to his whereabouts was withheld save that he was not in the city.

Police refused to say whether he had been kidnapped.

DAVIS TO WIND UP CAMPAIGN IN GOTHAM

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Breaking historic campaign precedents John W. Davis today opened his final ten day drive upon New York City.

Hoping that he may yet swing the ominous 45 electoral votes of New York state, the democratic presidential nominee set out with a new round of campaign speeches with his first here today.

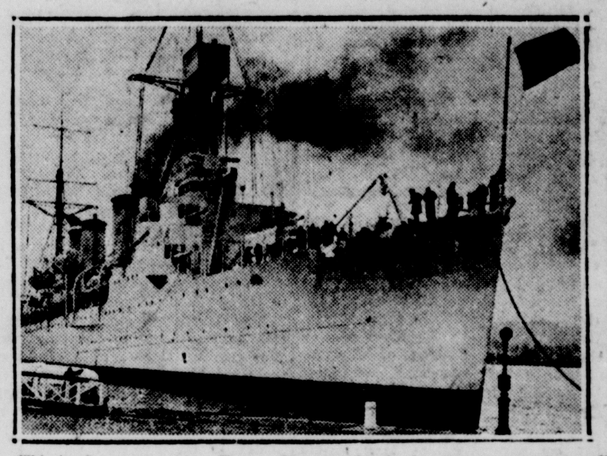
LEASE PROBERS TO MEET AGAIN MONDAY

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—No session of the trial of the government's suit against E. L. Doheny's Pan-American Oil company to cancel leases to the Elkhills, California oil fields was held today. The case will be resumed Monday.

DAVIDSON AT MARSHALL

AUSTIN, Oct. 25.—Acting Governor T. W. Davidson has returned to his home at Marshall. During his brief stay at the Texas capitol the acting governor granted two furloughs but did not issue any pardons, according to the governor's office.

12 Were Killed Aboard Her



This is the scout cruiser Trenton figuring in the latest navy explosion off Cape Henry. An officer and 12 men were killed, and approximately a score injured. The blast, occurring during the target practice, was in the forward twin gun mount and radio room. It is believed to have been caused by a flareback from one of the six-inch guns.

Exonerate Fireman Driver And Autoist In Corner Collision

W. D. McFaddin Blames Concrete Traffic Marker and Inability to Hear Siren; Court Praises Miller

Collision of hose truck No. 5 of central fire station en route to a fire call about 5:30 Friday afternoon with a Buick touring car driven by W. D. McFaddin resulting in injries to Fireman Tom Taylor which sent him to the hospital and injuries to others, was investigated by Judge A. W. Dycus in police court today.

Testimony of Bob Miller, driver of the hose truck showed the big machine left the station about a block behind the chemical engine which always clears the way for the heavier apparatus when an alarm is turned in. Aboard the hose truck with the driver were eight other firemen.

How to make drivers pull in to the curb for fire trucks will be discussed in city commission meeting Monday with Chiefs Covington and LaRose, Logan said today.

A motorcycle officer may be detailed for all-day duty at the fire station to clear the way ahead of fire trucks, Logan said.

Miller Testifies

Miller said the fire trucks, on receiving the alarm of a small blaze at Sixth and Dallas, went straight up Waco avenue. He said he drove past Procter at a very good rate of speed and was swinging into high as he approached the Fifth and Waco intersection where the collision occurred. He testified as he neared the intersection the truck had reached a probable speed of 40 miles an hour.

He said the buildings on the corner intersection made it impossible to see either way up or down Fifth. As the truck swung into the intersection area Miller said he looked north down Fifth and saw McFaddin approaching at a rate of speed which the fire truck driver said he knew would make it impossible to miss him.

The concrete traffic marker in the middle of the intersection closed up the area for wheeling to the extreme left, the testimony showed. Miller could only plough straight forward and hit the Buick, turn to the left and overturn the truck with its eight occupants or swerve into the traffic marker and overturn the truck in all probability, the driver said.

Decided for Collision With Car

Testifying he thought it best to take a chance in a collision with the Buick rather than swerving into a certain turnover with the heavy truck likely to crush its cargo of nine lives, Miller said the truck was kept in its course and hit the Buick head-on.

The compact was so great Fireman Taylor adjusting his fire clothes while sitting on the rear of the truck was shaken from his position thrown over the left rear fender of the truck dragged about 10 feet and then hurled to the ground on the shell road with severe bruises and head injuries.

Fireman Cooper sitting near Taylor was hurtled from the middle of the rear end of the truck to the back platform and caught in the apparatus where he hung while the truck was making its wild plunge about 30 yards down Waco street.

The Buick was dragged by the truck and the front wheels knocked off, fenders lost and generally smashed up. The driver McFaddin said his face was hurled against the steering wheel and his ear was bandaged up this morning as a result. He also maintained a sprained wrist he said.

Fire Truck Driver Praised

Judge Dycus, Mayor Logan and other officials who investigated the case all praised Miller for his quick work and said he resorted to the only recourse which kept the truck

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'MAKE THE FAIR BIGGER IN 1925'

Port Arthur's fair in 1925 should conform to its opportunities, increase its scope, be housed in permanent buildings and be planned with an idea to make it ultimately an event representative not only of Port Arthur but of a vast surrounding territory as well.

This was the theme underlying a series of interviews to The News businessmen today.

The interviews follow:

SAM SCHMINK, Mgr. Schmink Office Supply Company: All Port Arthurians were agreeably surprised at the way the first annual Port Arthur Fair went over, and most of the credit for the success of the fair is due those who gave of their ability and time to manage it. Splendid prospects for the fair next year ought to spur Port Arthur on to a greater exhibition, with more room provided for the exhibits.

VERNON J WISTNER, City Attorney: Everybody ought to be exceedingly proud of the first annual Port Arthur Fair. The attendance went beyond all expectations, and after attending county fairs all over Ohio, Michigan and Illinois, I can say that nowhere have I seen the exhibits and displays entered in the fair here surpassed.

MISS MAY DONALDSON, Librarian at Memorial Library.—Until they saw the library exhibit at the fair, a number of Port Arthurians did not know we had a public library in the city. Others thought a charge was made for use of the library and the books, and many expressed surprise at seeing books they had been wanting to read listed in the volumes kept at the library. The first annual Port Arthur Fair certainly helped us, and I believe everybody agrees it is a good thing and should be continued on an even broader scale.

Body of Mrs. Lutcher Lies in State in Orange

ORANGE, Oct. 25.—Body of Mrs. Frances Ann Lutcher, Orange's leading citizen, who died in New York City early this week, arrived here early Friday evening on a special funeral train on the Southern Pacific accompanied by immediate members of her family, funeral to be held Saturday afternoon at 3.

Practically all labor employing concerns will be closed throughout the day. Mayor Sol White has asked all places of business and the city offices to close from 2 to 5. Last rites will be held in the Lutcher Memorial Presbyterian church.

The body will lie in state in the church from 10 to 2.

TWO CONVICTS ESCAPE FROM EASTLAND FARM

HOUSTON, Oct. 25.—Police officers and members of the sheriff's office of Harris county were combing the city today for C. S. Benson, 22, and Harry Revels, 21, white convicts who escaped from the Eastland prison farm Friday afternoon. They were not missed until the evening roll call.

Posses with bloodhounds searched the brush in the Brazos river bottoms Friday night without success.

3 PRISONERS BREAK PENNSYLVANIA JAIL

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—Three prisoners escaped from the Bucks county jail at Doylestown, Pa., in an attempted wholesale prison break Friday, according to a telegram received here. Twelve convicts attacked a guard and attempted to flee. Nine were captured, advices said.

BELIEVE SHOT WAS INTENDED TO KILL POLLOCK

Mystery, However, Veils Beaumont Shooting

OFFICERS CLAIM NO CLUE

Seek to Trace Phone Call Calling Pollock Away

Death is only a matter of hours for R. C. Stokes, shot down by an assassin's bullet at 10 o'clock last night while at the home of Deputy Sheriff Artie Pollock in Beaumont while enjoying, with other friends, a radio party, it was announced by hospital attendants today noon.

The party suddenly was turned from gaiety to grief by an avenger whom officers say they are convinced, stood four feet away in the darkness and deliberately directed a 45 calibre bullet through the window into a man he thought was Artie Pollock.

Mysterious Phone Call

This is the situation which today has put every officer in Jefferson county, members of private detective agencies and friends of the dying man on a man hunt for the assassin. They declare it is the most cowardly crime in Jefferson county annals.

At the radio party in Pollock's home last night, besides the wounded man and his wife, were Judge B. B. Johnson and wife, and Mrs. F. A. Arceneaux of Hampshire. The party had been listening in on various selections and at about 9:45 Pollock was called from the home on business.

Pollock had been gone only about 15 minutes when a shot rang out. Stokes was seated on the far side of the room about 10 feet from the window where the bullet came in. Simultaneously with the shot, Stokes fell forward as blood spouted from his side and the bullet, passing through his left side and lung, tore the corner off the chair in which he was seated, glanced on the wall and fell beside a partially opened door.

County Judge Johnson was missed by the bullet only a few inches. Police were immediately notified and Stokes was rushed to Hotel Dieu where it was thought at first his wound would not prove fatal.

Early today it became evident the wound was mortal, as the lung had been shot away. The bullet was slightly larger than a .45, and was fired from a 12-gauge shotgun, officers believe.

The deed was that of a deliberate assassin who had his gun specially primed for the occasion and with intention to do a good job while about it, officers are agreed.

Stokes was sitting with his hand to his face and at a side angle in direct range from the gun of the one doing the shooting. The window was about two feet open. The bullet entered through the screen and some lace curtains.

The motive for the tragedy is now taking the attention of the entire peace officers personnel in Jefferson county.

Summarized, the police are confronted by these theories on a motive:

Was Pollock the man the bullet was intended for?

Did the assassin who of his own accord, or who had been hired to kill a man, get the one he was after?

It is the general belief of officers the bullet received by Stokes had been carefully planned for Pollock.

This, the most plausible theory, officers say, is based upon many angles. Pollock as deputy sheriff under Tom Garner has furnished evidence which has sent many whisky law violators to the penitentiary, county jail or to pay heavy fines, friends declare. At the present time Pollock is said to have 60 cases pending in which he is to be a witness against defendants charged mostly with whisky violations.

Mistaken Identity

That one of these, a ring, or faction deliberately planned to get rid of Pollock and his testimony forever is the belief of officials investigating the case.

In this instance mistaken identity can be the only reason Pollock is not on his death bed instead of his friend Stokes, officers state. Stokes and Pollock are of the same general build. Pollock is blond with blue eyes. Stokes has very red hair and blue eyes.

That someone not knowing Pollock but given a minute description planted himself outside the window, looked over the party, singled Stokes as his man and with deliberate aim from the darkness shot down the wrong man, is an accepted theory.

No motive so far has been found for anybody wanting to kill Stokes.

Never a peace officer, and with no an enemy in the world as far as known, it is inconceivable Stokes would be the object of such cowardly vengeance, friends declare.

All enemies of Pollock's and suspects are being rounded up. Every officer in Jefferson county including all in Port Arthur are working on a clue which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the one who fired the shot.

CHURCH RECORD STANDING TEST

Work Reaches Masses At All Social Stations

The church has neither failed to reach the masses at the bottom nor the top of society. Every president of this nation except one, since the founding of the republic, has been a member of some church. Nearly every president of every university in the world, whether the institution is secular or religious, is a member of some church. Religious activities of the student bodies were never so effective or far reaching in their influence as now. The "Students Volunteer Movement" is in the front ranks of all movements among young men and women of our day. John R. Mott, who was the leader of this movement when the world war began, was selected by Woodrow Wilson as foreign ambassador to Russia, which at that time was one of the most delicate and difficult, with its various problems, of all the foreign posts. During the World war the national government turned to the churches for all kinds of service. Preachers were asked to give publicity to information which was vital to the cause. Welfare work, Red Cross work, Y. M. C. A. work, bond sales and sales of thrift stamps, re-establishment of soldiers on their return, and care for those who were impaired in mind or health—these, and many other sorts of work were referred in large or small degree to the churches, and the churches and their leaders answered this call with an abundance of service. With this panorama of countless services from patriotic, self-sacrificing church people, fresh in its impress on the public mind, it is strange that anyone in this nation can be found who will speak lightly of the church or of religion.

The church is today the hope of the poor. No institution in the world has established and maintained so many orphans' homes, homes for the aged poor, homes for outcast girls, homes for any class for whom the governments of the world have not yet made provision as the church. The church has been the founder and promoter of hospitals for the sick. The church people in legislative bodies and in their relation at home as citizens, have labored to teach the public to bear by general taxation a burden which it is the manifest duty of society at large to bear. And the church has declared war against all causes of poverty, whether they be vice, industrial oppression, improper feeding or unsanitary environments which are conductive to poverty and inefficiency. The church is the friend of the poor and the friend of the poor to the last depths of human misery and poverty. When every other agency has failed to provide for the unfortunate, some one tells the preacher about the need, and he rallies his forces with the meager funds which the church is able to gather and undertakes the task. So if you have lightly esteemed the church, you will do well to look the facts in the face and then bear witness to them as they are.

MANY COLLEGES ON M. E. CHURCH ROLL

The M. E. church, South, has two great universities, Emory university at Atlanta Ga., and Southern Methodist university at Dallas, Texas. The denomination also has 16 class "A" colleges, 10 class "B" colleges, 25 junior colleges, three academies, one Bible and training school for wokers, and one college which now remains unclassified pending the raising of a large endowment. When this is secured the school will be in the front rank of class "A" colleges, as will several others within a year. It will be seen therefore that a large contribution is being made to public education by this church.

There are 31 mission schools in addition to these in the United States.

The first Missionary society in American Methodism was organized in 1819.

The Methodist Episcopal church, south, began missionary operations in China in 1848, with Dr. Charles Taylor as missionary.



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JESUS STILLS THE STORM

TEXT—Mark 4:35-41.

And the same day, when the even was come, he saith unto them, Let us pass over unto the other side.

And when they had sent away the multitude, they took him even as he was in the ship. And there were also with him other little ships.

And there arose a great storm of wind, and the waves beat into the ship, so that it was now full.

And he was in the hinder part of the ship, asleep on a pillow: and they awake him, and say unto him, Master, carest thou not that we perish?

And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm.

And he said unto them, Why are ye so fearful? how is it that ye have no faith?

And they feared exceedingly, and said to one another, What manner of man is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?



The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Oct. 26; The Stilling of the Storm.—Mark 4:35-41.

BY WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor-in-Chief of The Congregationalist

The people had so thronged about Jesus as He was teaching by the Sea of Galilee that He had had some of his fishermen friends pull out in a boat a few feet from the land, and He hand concluded his sermon from the boat while the people stood on shore listening. The sea, or lake (for it was a body of water not more than 13 miles long and eight miles broad,) must have been very calm.

When Jesuse had finished his teaching He suggested that they should cross to the other side of the sea. Apparently He wished to get away from the people, for He was so greatly in need of rest that He fell asleep in the stern of the boat. Note also that Mark says He lay asleep "on a pillow." Some one of the disciples had been thoughtful of his Master's comfort.

And then there came what often happened on this little sea—a sudden and violent storm. The boat began to fill with water and was in peril of being swamped. These storms came with such suddenness and violence upon so small a lake because of its peculiar situation. The little body of water was set in a depression among the hills so high that on the east side they rose to a height of 2,000 feet. The surface of the Sea of Galilee itself was 680 feet below the Mediterranean. This low water level among high hills led then as now to differences of temperature that produced such storms as that described in our lesson.

Most of the disciples were probably used to the sea, but they were none the less terror-stricken, and all the more because their divine guest still slept, unconcerned about their peril and His. In their terror they awakened Him, and here was reproach in their words: Carest thou not that we perish?

Is that not very much like the experiences of life? Sudden ills and troubles assail us, and our best friends seem obvious to our need. We are apt to be petulant and distrustful, even toward those from whom help is about to come.

Jesus rebuked the winds and the waves. "Peace, be still." He commanded. "And the wind ceased and there was a great calm."

The miracles of healing suggest Christ's greater power to heal the souls of men. So, here, this miraculous stilling of the storm on Galilee is symbolic of the power of Jesus to still the storms of life. Our lives are full of passion and restlessness and danger because we do not bring them under the sway of His peace.

We are accustomed to think of the power of Jesus as manifest in quiet lives, never assailed by sweeping emotions, and never marked by great adventures and dangers. But that notion is all wrong. The power of Jesus to calm the storms of life has been displayed throughout the ages in the most tempestuous of men.

Here among the disciples were those passionate men, those stormy petrels, James and John; here was impetuous and impulsive Peter; but we think also of innumerable tempestuous souls over whom Jesus has triumphed with His peace.

Jesus said to the disciples, "Why are ye so fearful? how is it that ye have no faith? Is not fear sometimes the gateway to faith? Is it not a good thing to be afraid, when our fear drives us to refuge and help? Perhaps this is one of the lessons that strong men find it hard to learn. It is a good thing when man finds an extremity that drives him to God.

Let us note also that God may seem indifferent to our distress, even as Jesus slept through the disciples' peril, He is really very near and ready to help us when we call upon Him. Often He cannot help us until our readiness to let Him is expressed in our cry. But how quickly He comes with His "Peace, be still."

Churches

TRINITY LUTHERAN
(Missouri Synod)
Fifth and San Augustine Ave.
F. W. Siebeltz, pastor

Sunday school 9 a. m. H. J. Moerbe, Supt.

On this Sunday we shall celebrate the 25th jubile of our congregation with three services as follows:

10 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. In the morning the Rev. H. Studtmann of Riesel, Texas, will conduct the service and preach an English sermon. At 3 p. m. the Rev. G. Buchschaker of Wards, Texas, will occupy the pulpit and preach in the German language. At 8 p. m., the Rev. J. Behnken of Houston, Texas, will favor us with an English sermon.

A special collection will be lifted at each of the services as a thanks offering unto the Lord for the manifold blessings bestowed upon the congregation during the past 25 years.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services and rejoice with us. "Come Thou With Us and We Will Do Thee Good." Numbers 10, 29.

FIRST BAPTIST
Corner Fifth and Shreveport
Clifton W. Culp, pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Preaching service 10:45 a. m.
B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m.
Evening service, 7:30.

"The Best Gift for Christ" will be the theme at the morning service, the text being taken from II Cor. 8:15 In the evening the pastor will use as his subject, "A Growing Faith," taking his text from John 4:46. There will be special musical numbers at both services.

All members of the Sunday school are urged to be on hand at 9:30. The Men's class will meet as usual at the Peoples theater, and the Berean class at the Cameo. We now have 65 classes in our school—there is a place for every one.

Good programs have been planned for all of the eight A-1 B. Y. P. U.'s These programs will be rendered following the general meeting at 6 o'clock. Plans are well under way for the Halloween banquet to be given by the Senior BYPU members next Thursday night.

A cordial invitation is extended all people not worshiping elsewhere to be in all or any of our services.

ST. GEORGE'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL
Cor. Stilwell Blvd and Fifth Street
Rev. John Ridout, Jr., Rector

Services for Sunday, Oct. 26th.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school, C. H. Comfort, Supt.
11 a. m., Morning service and sermon by the rector.

LUTHERAN MISSION
(Missouri Synod)
San Antonio and Fourteenth Street)
Paul C. Eifert, pastor

There will be no services and no Sunday school, since all are invited to attend the celebration at Trinity Lutheran church.

Sunday school teachers meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Corner Fifth and Beaumont
R. R. Yelderman, minister.

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

Men's Bible class meets at Strand theater at 9:30. Great song service by the men, led by a capable song leader. Special music every Sunday morning. Rev. R. R. Yelderman is the teacher of this class and John Ryzer the president.

Morning service, 10:45. "What Sort of a Revival Shall We Have?"

Evening service at 7:30. The pastor will bring the closing message on the educational series. He will speak on, "After I Finish School, What?" Boys and girls and young people especially invited to attend.

On Wednesday night of this coming week we hope to have one of the greatest prayer meetings we have ever had in preparation for the revival under Dr. Packard and St. John.

Christian Endeavor—Intermediates meet at 6 p. m. The Seniors meet at 6:30.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend our services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
1211 Fifth Street

Services Sunday, 11 a. m.
Subject: "Probation After Death."
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8 p. m.

A reading room is open at the same location every week day, except holidays, from 1 to 4:30 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN
Department Club
1900 Lake Shore Drive

Rev. W. A. Zeigler, superintendent of missions of East Texas Presbytery will speak at both the morning service at 11 o'clock and the evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

All are cordially invited to attend and worship at these services.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Corner Lake Shore and Stilwell
C. W. Rodgers, pastor

Sunday school 9:30, Wilbur Abbey Supt.
Morning worship, 10:45.
Special music by the choir.
Rev. A. J. Flowers, of the Flowers Evangelistic party, will preach.
Senior and Intermediate Epworth leagues at 6:30.
Evening worship, 7:30.
Special music by the choir.
Sermon, "Calling Up the Reserves for a Forward Movement."
Wednesday evening, midweek service.

All members and friends of the church are invited to attend the evangelistic services conducted by the Flowers party at the First Methodist Episcopal church, south.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Corner Mobile and Fifth
T. Alvis Davis, Pastor

Sunday schol 9:45. Increased attendance and offerings in our S. S. Join us in making the Sunday school a great force for righteousness.

Sermon at 11. Subject, "The Enlarged Life."

Anthem by the choir.

Solo—Selected.

Intermediates meet at 2 p. m. We are still studying the doctrines and organization of the Presbyterian church.

Senior C. E. meets at 6:30.

At 7:30 the choir will render a sacred concert. The choir will be assisted by many of the most talented musicians in the city. See full program in the Sunday News.

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DE QUEEN PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
2320 Eighth Street

Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Worship 10:45 a. m.
Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m.

Please notice these meetings are a few minutes earlier than usual and there will be no mid-week service, as we are attending the revival now in progress at the tabernacle, 1601 Sixth street, being conducted by Evangelist J. I. Reagan. We invite our friends and the public to attend these meetings with us. You are invited to attend all our services.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL
Corner Mobile Ave. and Sixth St.
Chas. E. Weidner, Minister

9:45 Church school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

The musical program for the morning service will be under the direction of Mrs. F. P. Dodge, musical director of the church. At this hour the choir will sing an anthem by Scheely, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee."

The presidential campaign is on. A shame upon our democracy is that there are over 6,000,000 men who have the franchise, yet never go near the polls to fulfill that part of their obligations as citizens. The church ought to stir up the citizenry of the land and see that these carry their obligations. The pastor will speak Sunday morning on "The Slacker." There will be no evening service.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
Port Arthur College Chapel
1500 Procter Street
F. C. H. Scholz, Pastor

THE GREAT COMMAND

"Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations," Matt. 28:19. This famous word is taken from a passage to which the Duke of Wellington referred as the Christian's "marching orders." We have first the warrant for the order given in the words: "All authority hath been first the warrend for the order given in the words: "All authority hath been given unto me in Heaven and earth." Secondly, we have the great comprehensive scope of the orders: "All nations." Again this passage emphasizes the far-reaching aim of the marching orders: "Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you." Finally there stands out in bold relief the sweet assurance: "I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." You will have observed that there are four "alls" in His final commission to the disciples. To Him belongs all authority. May we not seek to doubt or argue the necessity of His commands. His will is that all nations know Him even as He died for all.

Due to the serious illness of the pastor's sister, both morning and evening service will fall out.

The Sunday school will meet at the regular huor, 9:30.

The teachers and the Sunday school superintendent will take care of the classes.

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Rev. Yelderman to Give Last of Education Series

Sunday night Rev. R. R. Yelderman will deliver the third and last message on the educational series which he has been giving at the First Christian church on Sunday evenings. The closing sermon of the series will be "Choosing a Career." Both students of the schools and colleges and their parents are invited to hear the message. According to Rev. Yelderman much valuable time is often lost where the student fails to make some sort of a decision as to his future.

Delightful musical numbers will be rendered Sunday evening in conjunction with the preaching service, Rev. Yelderman said. Mrs. Sam Simon will render a violin selection and Mrs. Rupert Theobalt will appear in a vocal solo.

At the morning service Rev. Yelderman will speak on "What Sort of a Revival Shall We Have?" On Sunday, November 2, the First Christian church will launch an evangelistic campaign under the leadership of Dr. Paul Henry Packard of Des Moines, Iowa, and Leroy St. John of Los Angeles, Cal.

SECRET 'PLOT' BEFORE PROBE

Mysterious Evidence To Be Presented Monday

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Senate campaign fund probers today abandoned open hearings for the time being to give their individual scrutiny to "startling circumstantial evidence," laid before them yesterday by Samuel Untermyer, counsel for Senator La Follette.

The evidence, if substantiated, will have a profound effect upon the republican campaign, Untermyer said, but thus far it is without corroboration, he added.

No inkling of the character of the evidence was permitted to leak out.

Chairman Borah, when asked if he could disclose its general character, repeated his court announcement that the "question is still being considered by the committee."

"It's a great story if it is true," was all that Senator Caraway would say.

In all probability the evidence will remain bottled up until the committee meets again Monday afternoon. The two witnesses from Chicago, who Untermyer said had the information bearing on republican campaign funds were understood to still be in Washington but their identity was not revealed.

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Sons to Cooperate For Memorial With Vets

Appointment of a committee from the Sons of Confederate Veterans of Texas to co-operate with a movelent started by the Confederate Veterans to obtain a worthy national memorial to the women of the south during the civil war, was announced today by Elgin H. Blalock, state adjutant.

Dr. G. D. Parker of Houston was chosen chairman of the movement and he with a dozen other Texans will lay plans to be presented by the next national meeting of the vets.

Blalock also announces the appointment of brigadier commanders for the divisions of Texas. These are:

Commander of second brigade, Judge Ed S. McCarver of Orange, who succeeded Judge Dan Walker of Beaumont; commander of third brigade, W. R. Hughes, Longview, reappointed; commander of fifth brigade, W. E. Hubbert, Dallas, reappointed; commander of eighth brigade, Jesse Mosley, Houston, reappointed; commander of twelfth brigade, Hugh L. Small, Fort Worth, reappointed.

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"THE SLACKER" TOPIC OF SUNDAY SERMON

Characterizing as a shame upon the democracy the fact that 6,000,000 men and women who have the franchise never go near the polls to vote, Rev. C. E. Weidner, pastor of the First Congregational church, will preach a special sermon on "The Slacker" at the 11 o'clock service in his church Sunday, he said today.

"The church ought to stir up the citizenry of the land and see that these 6,000,000 slackers carry out their obligations by voting," Rev. Weidner said. "It is a shame upon our democracy that those who have the franchise do not fulfil their obligations as citizens by voting," he said.

SHE RETIRES BICYCLE RIDDEN 25 YEARS

EAST ORANGE, Oct. 25.—Dr. Mary Hussey, retired physician, has finally yielded to the march of progress and retired the bicycle on which for 25 years she paid her professional visits.

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CORRECTION

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FIGHTING A LYNX BAREHANDED

Meet Davvy Crocket Poole, 74 year-old premier guide and trapper of the White Mountains.

Davvy has had an experience which few men have had or would care to have: he has killed a big Canadian lynx barehanded. It happened this way:

One day he was up on top of Mt. Willard, one of the smaller



mountains of the range, gathering spruce gum, which he sells. As it was getting late Davvy decided to camp up on the mountain for the night, as he had his pack with him and it was about three or four miles down hill to the nearest shelter.

Sees Big Lynx

Accordingly, he looked around for the likeliest place to unroll his blankets and make a cooking fire. Having selected the spot he unrolled the blankets and began picking up wood for his fire. He gathered an armload of sticks and came back to his blankets. As he dropped the fagots he heard a rustle behind him. When he looked around there was a big lynx watching him with evidences of displeasure.

Davvy had no weapons and frankly admits that for a moment he had no idea what to do or why. Then he remembered that a lynx would not attack a man unless there was a mighty good reason. He also remembered that a lynx could often be scared very easily.

Throws Stick of Wood

At first Davvy sat watching the lynx and the lynx sat watching Davvy, but after a while the lynx took a step forward in Davvy's direction. Davvy threw a stick of wood at him. This made matters worse, as the lynx gave one of its crying howls and came forward two more steps. Davvy says he was scared foolish. And then a rather silly idea came into his head. He had heard of the bull fighters in Spain. Why not try a lynx fight?

With this in mind he grabbed up his blanket and began pelting the lynx with sticks, watching for the lynx to charge him. The blows from the sticks got the lynx madder and madder and he circled about, waving his stubby tail and howling as only a lynx can howl. Finally the beast paused, wheeled and began its charge. Davvy grasped the blanket at opposite corners and held it before him.

The Animal Charges

The animal charged straight into the blanket, which Davvy immediately got around him by the aid of great skill and a good deal of luck. In this process the trapper got several claw scratches and a tooth mark or two, but he succeeded in rolling the animal into a practically helpless position.

Having done this the trapper put his knee into the lynx's back, caught hold of his muffled head and calmly proceeded to break the back of his antagonist.

After the excitement was all over what do you suppose Davvy Crockett Poole did? Fainted? Yelled? No, he finished making his fire, cooked his supper and skinned the dangerous foe he had killed with his bare hands. The trapper says that the lynx just about ruined his best blanket.

IN THE DAYS OF THE FLYING DRAGONS



Once upon a time, there were strange and fearsome animals which disappeared from the earth ages ago. They were larger than any animals we know today, and so terrible in appearance that they were like strange things we see in nightmares after too much mince pie.

How do we know that these animals really lived? Scientists have found their bones buried in the earth and from the skeletons we can tell what these animals of old looked like.

Bones Were Buried

You see, one of these animals would have a fight with another and would be killed. If he were a sea animal, he would drop to the bottom of the lake. If he were a land animal, he might be buried in a cave-in of the earth. At any rate, the bones would not decay. As the ages passed, the skeleton would be covered by more and more earth and would become harder and harder. That is how men are able to find, often by accident when a pit is dug or well is drilled, these bones of the vanished animals.

Animals, you see, are always becoming extinct, which means that they disappear. How does this happen? Changes of climate, new enemies—these are some of the causes. Why, perhaps you have heard your grandfather talk of the days when buffaloes wandered in herds over the plains. Men killed them off in droves, and now there are only a few left. Some day they, too, will be found only in museums.

Animals Disappear

Even the strongest of animals could not exist forever, and we should be glad that the flying dragon in the picture—his right name is pterodactyl, but that's an awful name to pronounce—is no longer with us.

He wasn't a member of the bird family, but was a flying reptile. Most of the animals then were reptiles, whether they lived on land, sea, or air. They were cold-blooded animals. To their family belong snakes and lizards of today. They weren't a very pleasant family, were they? There's something about reptiles that gives you a "creepy" feeling.

Were Giants In Size

If you could have lived in those days and had stood on one of the giant rocks of that rugged landscape, you might have noticed a sudden darkening of the sky above you, as though a cloud were passing over. But if you had looked up you would have seen the flying dragon. He was a giant indeed. The largest of the dragons measured twenty feet across from the tip of one wing to the tip of the other. That means that he could have stretched clear across the front of your house! We can hardly imagine any flying animal that big.

Some of these dragons had long, narrow heads with sharp, toothless beaks. Others had short heads and beaks armed with terrible teeth, which they used for fighting and for capturing smaller animals to eat.

Had Large Eyes

They had such large eyes that some folks believed that they must have gone flying at night, like the owl. These big eyes were an advantage, for the dragon could see in any direction with them. Nothing could take him by surprise, for he never had to turn his head to see anything.

The pterodactyl had four legs, each ending in four fingers. The outside finger of each front leg was fastened to the wing, so he could walk on his hind legs only. He was much better off in the air than on land, for he had trouble walking. When he had to walk on his hind legs he had to curve his big head backwards, or he'd lose his balance and topple over. He probably couldn't have gone very fast in this position, and must have looked very ridiculous.

Got Food Easily

This strange animal could get food in many ways. He could capture birds as he flew, could attack land animals, and could forage up and down the sides of cliffs, for his sharp claws helped him to cling to the sides of the steepest mountains. He could even swoop down in the sea for fish. So he had no trouble getting a living.

Skeletons of these flying dragons have been found in nearly every part of the world. In the United States they were found around a big inland sea that once covered the western part of the country.

Scientists Risk Lives

There are men who devote their lives to the search for the bones of animals such as these. They are called palaeontologists. They sometimes form parties and go searching into the deserts or mountains or other out of the way places where they think they can find skeletons, staying for months at a time, far from civilization, and going through all sorts of hardships and dangers in their travels. We sometimes think that being a scientist is a cut-and-dried life, but some of the men who have had the most exciting adventures you could read are scientists.

New discoveries are constantly being made about these ancient animals which were created long ago and disappeared from the earth before there were any zoos to preserve them in, as we are now saving many of our wild animals that have been driven by man from their natural surroundings and can no longer live without being protected.

(Next week we'll learn about the largest of all the animals that ever walked the earth.)

IN SNOPPYQUOP LAND

WHERE NOTHING SEEMS QUEER



This picture shows how Mah Jongg was introduced into Europe. In the China-Trojan war of 86 A. D. (Asiatic Dominoes) the Chinese army lay (and stood) before the walls of Troy, unable to get to capture the city. Bimeby General Con Fusion hit upon a bright idea and ordered his troops to build a huge wooden Chinese Good Luck Dog. They put this in front of the walls of Troy, and then beat it back into the mountains to see what would happen.

The dumb Trojans opened their best gate and hauled in the big dog, then locked the gate and went to bed. As soon as it was dark, or midnight, or both, a whole flock of Chinese Snoppyquops who were hiding inside the big dog opened up the door and came out. "Golly, him warm in there," said one Chinaman. "Yep, him Hot Dog!" replied another.

The capture of the city by this brave detail of troops was a mere detail, and soon the gates were opened and the rest of the Chinese army admitted. Leading the parade in the illustration you will see one circle, closely followed by eight bamboo, West Wind, one bird, four Flowers, and four balls, take your base. Thus was Ma Jongg and Pa Jongg and all the Jonggs introduced into Europe.

A NARROW ESCAPE FROM THE WITCH'S KITCHEN

"Let's think of something new to do" urged Fred. He was in the mood for adventuring, that bright, crisp Saturday.

"I know what!" exclaimed Roy. "Let's go down to St. Jean and climb around some of the caves in the bluffs there."

"That's the stuff," answered Fred eagerly. "We're in hiking clothes already. Let's fix up a lunch and catch the nine o'clock electric to St. Jean."

Roy had come over to spend the day with Fred, but Fred's father and mother had gone away for the day to see some farm land they were interested in, so it was up to the two boys to amuse themselves.

Accordingly they took an electric to St. Jean and hiked on through the town to the bleak hills and the bluffs beyond, which were famous for their caves. They explored a few of the smaller, lower ones, then stopped and ate lunch before going farther.

They followed a narrow, winding trail, almost a ledge, which led them higher and higher. Suddenly Roy, who was in the lead, stopped, and looked up. Fred, who had heard a slight noise, looked up, too. He saw the face of a man peering down, from far above them. "There's the old hermit of the Bluffs," laughed Fred. "Nothing to get excited about. He's a half-witted fellow that lives somewhere around in these caves. Summer tourists out here give him money for reading their fortunes. He pretends to do it with grains of sand. I guess he makes enough that way to buy food during the winter. Funny-looking old fellow, isn't he, with those long whiskers?"

"Makes me feel creepy," answered Roy, with a little shrug. "I don't like the way he watched us."

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The two boys climbed up the side of the bluff, further and further, until the going became really dangerous. Suddenly they found themselves on a rather wide platform of rock which sloped down to the dark mouth of a cave. The mouth was small, and had a strangely forbidding appearance.

"Don't think I was ever in this one," remarked Fred. "I've never been up this high. Let's have a look at it."

They stooped down and crawled in. Once inside they found it a fair-sized cave. They could almost stand upright in it.

"Where's that light coming from?" asked Roy. "Oh, I see, there's a big hole in the roof."

Fred gave a little, low whistle. "Then this must be the cave known as the Witch's Kitchen. Look at that hole. It's known as the Witch's Chimney. See how it goes right straight up, as round and smooth as though it had been carved out of the rock. Queer isn't it?"



"The mouth was small, and had a strangely forbidding appearance."

"This is a creepy place," replied Roy nervously. "Isn't it supposed to be haunted?"

"That's what they say. Folks have been scared away by queer noises. The people down in St. Jean won't come near the place. I wonder how far back it goes? Let's explore a little."

He lit a match and they examined the walls of the cave. It was a shallow cave, almost round. "What's this in the corner?" exclaimed Roy. The boys lit matches and knelt down. They heard at that moment a slight noise at the mouth of the cave and turned to see the face of the crazy hermit glaring at them. The face disappeared at once.

The boys looked at each other nervously. "I think we'd better get out of here," declared Fred. "Maybe the old boy has a particular fondness for this place and doesn't want us here."

He had hardly finished speaking when there was a strange rumbling, then—bang! The light coming in through the mouth of the cave was shut off. Fred turned white. "He rolled a boulder down the slope and blocked the cave!" he gasped.

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The boys were speechless with horror. Then Fred noticed that Roy was holding up in his hand a long pouch in which a few pieces of silver clinked. He had found it stuck away back in the cave. That explained things. This cave was the hermit's "bank", for some strange reason, and he thought they were stealing his money. That explained his anger, and why his crazy brain had given him the idea of trapping them.

Without a word the two boys made a rush at the boulder. They pushed until they were exhausted, but could not budge it. They realized there was no chance of rolling it back up hill.

"No one knows where we are," shuddered Roy, white-lipped. "They might not think to look here for days and days—by that time —"

Fred was looking up the Witch's Chimney. "It's plenty large enough for a fellow to let himself down through," he mused.

"You couldn't possibly climb up the smooth sides," sighed Roy.

Fred looked sadly up at the little patch of blue sky and admitted that he was right. Then he realized that the patch of blue sky was cut across by something green —evidently a tree branch.

He quickly unwound the lasso which he always carried, for he was fond of lassoing. "This is our last chance," he said soberly, "and it isn't much of a chance at that. I'll try throwing this up in the hope that it might catch on something solid. Look out now."

He made several tries, with no luck. Then the rope seemed to have caught something, but a few jerks brought down a twig. Fred stopped and rested a moment. Neither of them had anything to say. The light was beginning to fade slightly, and soon they would no longer be able to see the chimney.

Once again Fred tried it, and again. Then— "Roy," he choked, "it seems to be holding. Oh, if it only will—" Slowly he began going up the rope, hand over hand. Roy scarcely dared breath.

After what seemed ages, he heard a shout. "I'm on the ground!" rejoiced Fred. "Come on up, Roy. We've escaped the Witch's Kitchen!"

A HALF DOZEN TRICKY PUZZLES

1. Form a word square of words meaning a heavenly body, a story, charity, and to repose.

2. A word chain is made up of words arranged so that the last letter of the first word is the first letter of the second word, the last letter of the second word being the first letter of the third, and so on, the last letter of the last word being the first letter of the first word. Form a word chain of words meaning an animal closely allied to the sheep, a part of a kite, state of wanting, a blow with the foot, and a small cask.

3. Form a word diamond out of (1) a letter found in September; (2) to strike; (3) an animal of the jungles; (4) a number; (5) another letter found in September.

4. Take away the first letter of a name commonly given to dogs and leave above. In the same way behead a jewel and leave a chum. Behead shining and leave correct. Behead unreal and leave a business transaction. Behead orderly and leave devour. The letters beheaded spell the name of a bird.

5. Change the head and tail of a number and have a strip or fragment. Change the head and tail of another number and have a boxing match.

6. Behead a word meaning a kind of ship and leave a shoemaker's tool. Behead a gulf between Arabia and Africa and leave the lair of a wild beast. Behead additional and leave a material containing metal. The beheaded words, when properly arranged, spell a month.



Answers to Puzzles.

1. Star, tale, alms, rest.
2. Goat-tail-lack-kick-keg.
3. T, hit, tiger, ten, R.
4. R-over; o-pal; b-right; i-deal; n-eat; Robin.
5. Three - shred; four - bout.
6. Y-awl; A-den; m-ore;— May.

"I'm running this," said the bully, as he turned on the water for his morning bath.

Knew What Was Coming

Mary (writing home): "How do you spell 'financially' ?"

Sister: "'Financially', and there are two 'r's' in 'embarrassed'."

That Worried Him Too

History Teacher: "Can any of you tell me what makes the Tower of Pisa lean?"

Fat Student: "I wish I knew; I'd take some myself."

Proving It

Mother: "I gave you a penny yesterday to be good, and today you are bad as you can be."

Small son: "Yes, I'm trying to show you that you got your money's worth yesterday."

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A NEW GAME FOR WINTER PARTIES

Did you ever watch a farmer cutting corn with a big corn knife? When the knife touches the stalks they go toppling over. Here's a game that is built on the same idea.

This is a good, lively game for your winter parties, and almost any number can play it. You will need a broomstick, a clothespole, or a bamboo fishing rod to use as the farmer's knife. A rope slightly weighted on one end would do instead of the pole, but the weight must not be heavy enough to hurt any one if it hits him.

Choose A Farmer

One player is chosen to be the "farmer". All the other players are the stalks of corn. They form a big circle, with the farmer standing in the middle with his "knife". He begins to revolve this slowly about him, cutting his corn.

As the pole approaches, the players leap into the air to avoid being cut down by the farmer. Any player who is touched by the pole, even slightly, is "cut", and must get out of the circle until the game starts over again.

Shift Position

After the farmer has brought his pole around once or twice, he stops suddenly and calls, "Shift!". At this signal all the players who are still in the ring get down on all fours and the farmer tries to cut them down from this position while they, in turn, try to jump as the pole comes to them.

When he has done this a few times, the farmer will no doubt find some of the tough stalks of corn still standing. He then calls, "Shift!" once more. All those still in the circle stand on the left foot and touch the ground with the right hand, trying to jump from this position.

Increase Speed

The farmer is supposed to revolve his "knife" slowly at first, but as the players grow more accustomed to jumping he increases the speed to catch new players. The pole, during the game, must never be more than eight inches from the ground as it reaches each player.

The last player cut down is the farmer for the next game and the ring is formed once more.

Testing It Out

A foreign boy was attending night school. One of the things he earned in arithmetic was that four quarters make a whole. He studied it over and over again. Sunday morning he went into his back yard and began to dig. His father heard him, and asked what he was doing.

"I'm digging a hole," said his son, "because my teacher said there were four quarters in a hole."

ADVENTURES OF RADIO RAYMOND



IN JINGLELAND

Did you ever try to make up jingles? Just get the meter in your head and you'll find it isn't hard at all. Here are some sample jingles taken from school papers all over the country. Try making some like them for your school paper.

The Pup stood on the burning deck—
The flames leaped up around his neck—
Hot Dog!

A stupid young scholar named Lancer
When asked to recite, stammered, "Can't, sir";
But it chanced that the topic
Was: "Please name a tropic".
So teacher thought Lancer said "Cancer".

"I played a joke upon my boss,"
Said Patrick to his pard;
"I wheeled the same old bricks all day
Instead of working hard!"

"Will you be quiet for a bit?"
His father said to Lew;
"No, sir," his slangy son replied,
"But I'll keep still for two."

A young colored fellow in Wooster
One night made away with a rooster;
The cock chanced to crow,
The boy was too slow—
Now he can't relish fowl like he use'ter.

"Where is that story that you wrote?"
My English teacher says to me;
"I tore it up, I guess," says I
"Best thing you ever did," says she.
What'd she mean?

There was a young fellow named Fred
Who walked in his sleep, it is said.
"I don't walk any more,"
"Says he, "as before—
For now I take car-fare to bed."

"Why do you take your gym shoes home?"
I asked my young friend Ted;
"To study for the gym exam
Tomorrow, sir," he said.

HAVE YOU MADE AN AIRPLANE?

Last week you clipped the last of the six lessons which told how to make and fly a model airplane, so you should now have your plane in good working order. Are you having any trouble with it? If so, write to Mr. Terence Vincent, Director of Miniature Aircraft Flyers, 746 Monadnock Building, Chicago, and he'll be glad to answer any questions or give you pointers that will help your plane fly better.

Already he has received letters from a lot of you who are interested in model airplane building, and he'll be glad to send you plans for more complicated models if you want them. GIRLS, TOO.

Mr. Vincent says that one of the prize winners in a model airplane contest in Chicago was a girl, who made a plane better than those made by hundreds of boys who entered. He'd like to see a girl win one of the places in the national meet held November 14—how about it?

Explained It

Samuel Jordan, well-known minister, having cause to be anxious about his son's college examination, told him to telegraph the results. The boy sent the following message to his parent: "Hymn 342, fifth verse, last two lines." Looking it up, the father found the words: "Sorrow vanquished, labor ended, Jordan passed."

Couldn't decide

Real Estate Agent: "This tobacco plantation is a bargain. I don't see why you hesitate. What are you worrying about?"

Prospective Purchaser: "I was just wondering whether I should plant cigars or cigarettes."

An Expensive Notice

Pat: "What be yer charge for a funeral notice in yer paper?"

Editor: "Fifty cents an inch."

Pat: "Good gracious! An' me poor brother was six feet high."

Peter Puzzle Says—

Concealed in each of these sentences is the name of a country: "Neither I nor Wayne passed the examination." "He lost his watch in a hotel."

Behead a village and get something you possess.

A PICTURE PUZZLE



A MATTER OF HAIR

"We must have a girl with long hair," declared the English teacher. "When it comes to the lines where the hero says, 'Lovely lady, let down your long hair,' it would be ridiculous to have a bobbed haired heroine stick her head out."

"But nearly every girl in the school has her hair bobbed," objected the other teacher. "It will be pretty hard to find a girl who has any idea of acting at all and at the same time has long hair."

"How about Marion Felix?" suggested the English teacher. "She not only has long hair, but it's curly as well. She has always wanted to take a part in one of the pageants, and never got in."

"Oh, but she's so stiff and awkward and she hasn't any imagination," objected the other teacher. "It isn't because she wants to act that she wants to be in, but because she wants to be noticed. She's awfully vain."

"Well," sighed the other, "it seems to me she's really the only one we can use for the part. She will follow directions and she doesn't have much to say. It's her hair we want her for, anyway."

The next day the English teacher notified the different ones who had been chosen for the pageant. They were to report for the first meeting before school the following morning, and they would then be assigned their parts.

Marion Felix was surprised to find her name on the list of actors, and she was jubilant. At last she had convinced the teachers that she could act. She was one of the first to arrive at the meeting in the English room the next morning. She came running in with a proud gleam in her eyes. "Oh, I have a surprise," she called. "My folks were so glad I was in the play that they finally agreed to let me do something I'd been wanting to do for just ages. I told them all the girls in the play would have bobbed hair, so —" she swept off her hat, showing her neatly clipped bobbed hair.

Wrong Again

"I say, wouldn't it be a lark of that sparrow fell down the chimney?"

"No, it wouldn't; it would be a sparrow."

Answer to today's picture puzzle: The two kinds of fruit are raisin and cherry.

Answers to Word Puzzles:

The two hidden countries are Norway and China.

T-own.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

A MAN THAT FLATTERETH HIS NEIGHBOR SPREADETH A NET FOR HIS FEE.—PROV. 29:5.
THE LIE THAT FLATTERS I ABHOR THE MOST. —COWPER.

The Editorial Mind

Dr. Frank Crane's Editorials

THE FASHION DICTATOR

There ought to be somebody or other appointed as the fashion dictator. There is entirely too much mixed advice and confusion in regard to fashions.

You read on one page that no self-respecting girl will be seen out in anything but brown, and on the next page you read that black silk stockings are to oust all others in public favor. Now it is impossible for anyone to obey both of these dicta. One would have to refuse to be seen walking with a sister, wife or mother, or for that matter anybody's relative, who elects to wear black stockings with a brown coat or skirt.

It seems that a sole arbitratress should be appointed to take control of fashions and to tell women how they should dress. She should dictate whether hair should be bobbed, long or shingled, the shape of the head, the position of the waist line, the slimness or plumpness of the figure, color scheme and so on so that when the finished product was turned loose she would have the authority behind her of her producer.

As it is, a lady, in the language of the gentleman from Texas, does not know where she is at. In other words, she is compelled to do her own thinking and to adapt her styles to her own personality.

It would be much simpler if she could have some arbitratress to do this for her and to tell her exactly what to wear. It is much simpler with men's clothes. A man goes to his tailor and orders two or three suits of clothes, and leaves the entire matter of style to the expert. He does not discuss it, for he recognizes that the tailor is the authority upon such matters. On the contrary, a woman has to use her brain and she has got so much on her brain nowadays that she ought to be spared matters of personal appearance.

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In New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Cross-section of a monologue heard on Broadway:

"I was walkin' up the street, you understand? And the first thing I knew there she was, right in front of me, you understand? She was dressed like a dog-fight. You know what I mean? And I says to her, 'Where you goin'?' Nothin' out of the way the way I said it. You know what I mean? But she flew off the handle, you understand? And she says to me, 'How'd you get that way?' Of course it wasn't none of my business, you understand? We ain't engaged, but I'd given her a friendship ring. You know what I mean. So I says to her, 'I don't mean nothin,' see? But I thought I was your best friend and I'd like to know.' Maybe I ain's in love with her, you understand? But she's on my mind a lot. You know what I mean? Anyway, she wouldn't answer me and walked on down the street sorta haughty-like, if you understand what I mean."

Probably nothing about the New Yorker is so irritating to the visitor here as this habit of asking "You understa d?" or "You know what I mean?" or "See?"

This habit prevails in both low and high places. On the surface it seems to spring from an exalted egotism, an attitude on the part of the New Yorker that he knows more than the man he is talking to. The reverse is probably nearer the truth.

In this polyglot city many tongues are spoken. English-speaking children are never sure whether their Italian, Russian, French or German parents fully understand. And the same time they are never sure that they can clearly express themselves to the native-born American.

These New Yorkers are wise birds. You'll never catch them felling for the old shell game or short-change artists.

But the Sunday after the ZR-3 arrived two slickers reaped a harvest at Lakehurst, N. J., collecting ten cents "admission" from New Yorkers who went there to see the great dirigible in its government hangar. And they hoodwinked some auto drivers into paying a quarter for the privilege of parking their cars on government land.

—JAMES W. DEAN.

CROSBYTON SCHOOL DESTROYED BY FIRE

CROSBYTON, Oct. 25.—The high school building with most of the furniture, was destroyed by fire. The fire originated during the noon hour and very few of the pupils or faculty were inside the building.

The estimated loss is about $75,000 with something like $50,000 insurance. The building will be replaced immediately.

—3—WOMAN, HIT BY CAR .....

WOMAN, HIT BY CAR, TAKEN TO HER HOME

GREENVILLE, Oct. 25.—The condition of Miss Willie Mae Milligan of Lone Oak, who was seriously injured when struck by an automobile on a prominent street in this city last Saturday, has improved to such an extent that she was permitted by the local hospital where she was under treatment to be carried home yesterday.

More than 60,000 motorists are expected to travel the roads leading to the sunny south this fall and winter. This is the estimate of travel to the southeastern state alone, made by the American Automobile association.

J. W. DAVIS, DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE, HURLS DYNAMITE AT WHITE HOUSE

John W. Davis is not a silent man. John W. Davis has convictions and the courage to give those convictions expression. And he is a generous as well as a brave man. Senator Burton K. Wheeler, a democrat, bolted the nomination of Davis and accepted second place on a ticket with the Wisconsin Mussolini. Addressing a great audience at La Fayette, Indiana, the democratic nominee criticised the indictment of Senator Wheeler, "as a black and dastardly crime perpetrated because Wheeler had become obnoxious to some of them in power."

Not long ago Senator William Borah of Idaho, one of the foremost living Americans, criticised the indictment of Wheeler as a cowardly crime perpetrated by men in high station in the Harding-Coolidge administration.

It was in his La Fayette speech just the other day that John W. Davis attempted to transform Calvin Coolidge from a man of silence into a man of speech and direct action. This is what Davis said in an appeal for complete equality of civil and religious liberty regardless of race or creed:

"The Ku Klux Klan has no place in American politics. I had hoped that after my Seagirt, New Jersey, speech in which I denounced the Ku Klux Klan that Mr. Coolidge would take the same position and that the klan issue would be forced out of politics. Mr. Coolidge, however, has not seen fit to take that position."

John W. Davis, who gave up a legal business, having a value of $50,000 a year, to lead the democratic party in this campaign, hurled another stick of dynamite in the direction of the White House when he declared:

"Corruption struck home to the fountain head of the government, polluting even the cabinet. We know about Doheny and the black satchel. Just the other day there was turned up another $90,000 which Fall had stored away up in Canada. I even hear intimations that there are further disclosures to come."

Charles Evans Hughes has declared the personality of Calvin Coolidge to be the only issue. Republican campaign chairman Butler has declared the personality of Coolidge to be the only issue. All republican campaigners make the same declaration.

Three Rivers Fall is of the same opinion. Doheny is of the same opinion.

Sinclair is of the same opinion. Denby is of the same opinion.

Daugherty, the man with the hideous record, is of the same opinion and young Theodore Roosevelt of New York, denounced by John W. Davis as the messenger boy of the conspirators, is of the same opinion.

If so, political corruption must be the new crown jewel in the American diadem.

THE VOICE OF GOD

Is the will of the people the voice of God? Well, not in California. The California legislature directed that its election and primary law should be construed liberally by the courts so that the real will of the people should not be defeated. And the law authorized nominations after election day if one per cent of the voters should sign a petition and if such signers had not voted at the primary.

In a single day fifty thousand qualified voters signed the La Follette petition to place electors on the official ballot. Now what did the supreme court of California do in the case? This court is constituted of seven members. Four are republicans and were appointed by a republican reactionary governor. Two are democrats and one a progressive republican, all three elected by the people.

The four republican judges ruled that the La Follette electors should not be given a place on the ballot; the three judges elected by the people, ruled that the electors were entitled to a place on the ballot but the majority won.

Now is the voice of the people either the voice of legislative law or the voice of God in California?

Law is sacred but there are times when an agent or agents of the law, seated on the bench are contemptible things.

FOUR

We put an administration into power in Washington, D. C., for four years. Canada puts a party into power until, deadlocked and unable to win a vote of confidence, it automatically has to call a new election. Thus, a party might be in power in Canada for years or for only a few months.

But since Canada confederated its provinces in 1867, it has had only 16 changes of national administrations—roughly one for every four years, like us. But it has what might help us—longer good administrations and shorter punk ones.

Quillen's Paragraphs

Another thing that is silent and strong is limberger.

Some wives use a quick-working poison and some try everything.

The music we like best in a movie theatre is the "Refrain from Talking."

Some kind friend should lend Spain a book about England and Ireland.

The most prolific cause of war is the conviction that one can lick the other fellow.

The worst thing about the itch for office is that election may make it settle in the palms.

The happiest people are those young enough to think the back seat was made to hold six.

The thing that makes the capitalistic system hateful is mediocre ability as a money getter.

If you think the idea of self-determination didn't take hold, study modern children.

If at 12 he believes in Santa Clause, at 25 he believes he is the only many who ever kissed her.

A lot of men who dance now couldn't get by if skirts were long enough to step on.

Japan is still sore about immigration. Well, doubtless it is more trouble to smuggle them in.

Some aliens learned Americanism slowly, and some are intolerant even before they come over.

The grandmother who used to die when the team played at home is the gay lady with bobbed hair in the third row.

French is an easy language to learn. The hard part is to make Frenchmen understand it.

The world progresses. Once mud was used to make houses; now it is used as political argument.

Personally, we don't believe the story about the hen that developed a taste for clay and is now laying brick.

Virtue may be its own reward, but it doesn't make you bullet proof if the dry agent thinks your quart of vinegar isn't vinegar.

Correct this sentence: "I have broken a law," said he.

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OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS



The Fun Shop By Maxson Foxhall Judell

THE CIRCUS
By Marion Harriman

(Two weeks ago we published "Punishments" by Wallace M. Bayliss, the most difficult and, at the same time, the most successful political contribution of this haven of cheer. Evedently some of our readers were inspired, because one of them, Marion Harriman, contributes a poem of exceptional merit.—Editor)

The Circus is a lively place:
I go whene'er one comes to town.
I love to see the chariot race,
I like the elephants and clown.

It always thrills me to my toe
To see the camels and giraffe;
The trapeze girls swing high and low,
To hear hyenas give their laugh.

The zebra has a solemn face.
The tigers striped with black and brown
They certainly have forms of grace;
I'd hate to have one gulp me down.

How comical is Dog Faced Joe!
The monkeys always make me laugh
They're worth the whole price of the show,
And all it costs me is a half.

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(In the following poem the first verse consists of the first lines of the four preceding verses; the second verse is composed of the second lines; the third verse is composed of the third lines, and the fourth verse is composed of the fourth lines.)

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And all it costs me is a half!

Wise Stunt

Jim: "What are you going to do with that extra pair of trousers that came with your suit you bought on time?"

Luke: "I am going to sublet them to the man I room with."

—Merton Halver.

Frequently

Wombat: "We've had Apple Week and Pickle Week. Why can't we have Coffee Week?"

Giffle: "e do."

—A. S. W.

Try and Get It

Al: "It's the woman who pays."

Rudy: "Nix, she has everything charged."

—Simon Henning.

Cute Things Come in Small Bundles

Bachelor: "By mistake they sent me back some lady's laundry."

Benedict: "Yeah? What was it?"

"Oh, nothing to speak of."

—Elsie Bobler.

Couldn't Shake Him

Claribelle: "Doesn't Jack ever tire of dancing?"

Clara: "No, he keeps right on your toes every minute."

—H. M. Holzburger.

Most young men are promising. Ask any girl who's married one of them

Her Still Small Voice

Her voice was so low
That I listened with fear,
Lest her "yes" might be "no"—
Her voice was so low,
But now that I know,
We're married a year,
Her voice is so low
That I listen with fear.

—George W. Lyon.

Took Him At His Word

Mildred: "How can you expect Jack to recognize you here from the field?"

Birdie: "He said I was one girl in a million."

—L. C. Nelson.

Not Certain

"Wasn't it too bad about the fellow who was shot last night?" asked the picture enlarger, who had just arrived in the neighborhood and wished to appear easy and interested.

"I d'know," said Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "You see, I'm the —gaw-w-wn—gent that shot him."

There Isn't Any Come-Back

Little Ethel: "Mother, can I have a new doll?"

Mother: "Why, dear, your old doll is as good as new."

Ethel: "Well, I'm as good as new and you've got a new baby."

—F. W. Sinclair.

Assisting Nature

Eugene: "For a woman of her age, I think time has touched her very lightly."

Herbert: "Don't fool yourself, old man. It's the 'retouching' she gets at the beauty shops that gives her that wonderful hair and complexion."

—Martha Asher.

Beyond Him

He took the measles when a lad,
He took a little loan when broke,
He took to every growing fad,
But proved he could not take a joke.

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BANDITS GET $4,000 IN EARLY ROBBERY

GREENSBURG, Pa., Oct. 24.—Two bandits held up F. J. Sutton, cashier of the Citizens' National bank at Bolivar, as he opened the bank this morning and forced him to open the vault at the point of revolvers, escaping with more than $4,000 in cash.

ABILENE SHOOTING TO BE INVESTIGATED

ABILENE, Oct. 24.—The grand jury in district court was reconvened today by District Judge W. R. Ely, it is understo that an investigation is being made of shooting here last week of W. W. Gilliland.

Gilliland is in a local hospital with two bullet wounds in his body. His condition became more serious Monday, but was improving today.

PARKER MAN INJURED ON THRILLER AT FAIR

CLEBURNE, Oct. 24.—C. S. Elliott of Parker, this county, is reported in a critical condition at the St. Paul sanitarium in Dallas as the result of injuries received when he fell from "Lightning," a riding device at the state fair grounds.

He has a broken arm, a broken leg and is believed to be internally injured. Friends here have been advised that his condition is critical.

Your Money AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments.

Broadly speaking, investment securities group themselves into five rather distinct classes.

The first class of investment securities is usually known as "gilt edge" securities and includes those issues which are usually regarded as safe for widows and orphans to put their money into.

The second class may be termed "high grade securities." These are usually excellent investments, but fall just a little short of the perfection attributed to the class mentioned above.

Purely speculative securities form the third class. Such securities are bought and sold with a large element of risk which may entail large profits or large losses. They are not securities with which a person should dabble unless that person is a skilled speculator or unless he has money which he doesn't mind losing.

Undigested securities form the fourth class. Such securities are those issued by new companies, which have not been widely distributed. They are securities in which a general confidence has not yet been built up. However, such securities may be excellent investments.

The fifth and last class is that of "fake" securities. They are securities which are sold with a fraudulent end in view and which always causes a loss of money to every one except the promoter and salesman of the securities. Over one billion dollars has been lost by people of the United States in fake oil securities since the close of the war.

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Tom Sims Says

In New York, a boy died from eating face cream, and we hope this is a warning against petting parties.

Dresses, they say, are getting shorter to match bobbed hair, so here is hoping they never shave their heads.

Chicago prisoners are kicking about the way the place is run, and it really is said to be too confining.

Every man says the country will go to the dogs if he isn't elected, but it never has come true.

All the good men are not dead. From the suits filed autoists run across a few now and then.

Breaking a mirror is seven years' bad luck and breaking a law may be seventy years worse luck.

In Boston a neighbor's rent was cut because the landlord's baby cried at night. Atta baby!

Some business men travel around so much when they do eat at home they look for the menu.

Two hea's of bobbed hair to run your fingers through may often be much safer than one.

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BASS MULLIN'S PLEA FOR BOND GRANTED

LUBBOCK, Oct. 25.—Bass Mullins, indicted on a statutory charge, was granted bond today by the court of criminal appeals, which was set at $7,500.

Bledsoe and Pharr, defense attorneys, took the case to the higher court after efforts to secure bail for the defendant through habeas corpus proceedings on Oct. 10 before Judge Clark M. Millica of the seventy-second judicial district wee unsuccessful.

The Affair at Flower Acres

by CARLYN WELLS



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BEGIN HERE TODAY

The body of Douglas Raynor is found in the early evening on the floor of the sun room at Flower Acres, his Long Island home. Raynor has been shot through the heart. Standing over the dead man, pistol in hand, is Malcolm Finley, former sweetheart of Raynor's wife, Nancy. Eva Turner, Raynor's nurse, stands by the door with her hand still on the light switch. In a moment Nancy appears, white-faced and terrified. Orville Kent, Nancy's brother, comes in from the south side of the room, and then Ezra Goddard, friend of Finley, with others, enters upon the scene. "It was either Mr. Finley or Mrs. Raynor who fired that shot," accuses Nurse Turner. At last, to the satisfaction of the party, the police arrive on the scene to conduct an investigation.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

The chief, whose name was Pell, remained in the sun parlor with the physicians, but after a few moments there, Detective Dobbins, who had been assigned to the case, came into the living room and looked inquiringly about him.

"I am Ezra Goddard," said the self-appointed spokesman, "a friend of the late Mr. Raynor. This is Mrs. Raynor, and Miss Mattie Raynor—a sister."

The others were introduced, both Finley and Kent acknowledging their names by the slightest of nods and some servants were designated.

Detective Dobbins sat down and as he rolled his beady black eyes from one to another he rubbed his hands as if in active enjoyment of the situation.

"Who was the last to see Mr. Raynor alive?" he began, in a most workmanlike way.

"That is the regulation question, Mr. Dobbins," said Goddard. "But, as usual, it is almost impossible to answer. If Mr. Raynor was shot by the hand of another, that individual was, of course, the last one to see him alive. Now, of that we have no knowledge. If, on the other hand, Mr. Raynor committed suicide—"

"Suicide!" cried the astounded Dobbins. "I have not been told that there is any suggestion of that!"

He looked like a man suddenly defrauded of his rights.

"It's no a question of suggestion, Mr. Dobbins," Goddard went on, suavely, "but of investigation. And a rational investigation must consider all possibilities."

"Quite so—quite so," Detective Dobbins began to wish that Mr. Goddard had never been born.

"Well," he resumed, after a moment's thought, "let us put it this way, then. Which ones of you were among the last to see Mr. Raynor alive?"

"Ah, that's better," and Goddard smiled approval. "I can answer that for all of us. We were all together on the terrace having tea. After tea we still sat there until dusk began to fall. Then several neighbors who were with us started for their homes. And we, the members of the family and household, dispersed to our rooms to dress for dinner."

"All of you here present were at tea with Mr. Raynor?"

"Yes," said Goddard, and others nodded.

"Who left the group first?"

"The guests from the neighboring houses," Goddard replied.

"And next?"

"I did," Orville Kent said; "I went with one of the guests, a young lady from the Fay place, next to this."

"And after Mr. Kent?" Dobbins queried, his black eyes taking in the expression on each face.

"I think I went off next," Finley said, "unless Miss Turner, the nurse, preceded me. Of that I'm not quite sure."

"I'm sure," Nan said; "Miss Turner did go before Mr. Finley—she went to the pantry to see about some malted milk for my husband. And then my husband rose and went himself into the house."

"And from the house into that room—that sun parlor, I believe you call it."

"Yes," Nancy agreed, "that is, he must have done so. But when he left me he went into the house."

"You were then alone at the tea table, Mrs. Raynor?"

"The tea table had been removed, Mr. Dobbins, some time since. But, yes, I was then alone on the west terrace, where we had had tea."

"What did you do?"

"Do? Why, nothing. I sat a moment, thinking I must go and dress for dinner, but delaying a few moments to enjoy the soft evening air and the fragrance of my flowers."

"And you sat there until—"

"Until—" Nan repeated, a far-away, reminiscent look in her eyes.

Just then Goddard gave a loud and emphatic "Ahem!" and Nan looked quickly at him.

No one could mistake the look on his face for anything but a sharp glance of warning.

Whereupon, Nancy Raynor drew herself together with a visible effort, and began to speak glibly.

"Why, yes—what was I saying? Oh, yes; I sat there until I heard that shot—yes, until I heard that shot, Mr. Dobbins."

"You are sure of this, Mrs. Raynor?"

"Yes, yes, perfectly sure—until I heard the shot—"

"Yet, until Mr. Goddard attracted your attention just now, you were going to give me a different reply."

"No, I wasn't—oh, no, I wasn't! Why should I?"

"I don't know, I'm sure. Now what time was it when you heard the shot?"

"I can't say, exactly. I didn't look at my watch. But it must have been a little before seven."

"Quarter before?"

"I don't know. Maybe."

"Well, then, you heard the shot—did you know at once where it came from?"

"I knew from which direction it came, and, of course, I ran that way."

"Into the sun parlor?"

"Yes—that is, no—not into it—but to the door, and looked in."

"Yes; and after you went into the room what did you see—"

"My husband—but I told you I didn't go into the room!"

"You must have, to have seen your husband, for as he lay on the floor, there was a large table between him and the west door—you couldn't have seen him from the doorway."

"Oh, yes, I did—I'm positive I did."

"I think, Mr. Dobbins, you will gain litt! by questioning Mrs. Raynor further tonight. She is greatly unstrung—"

"Excuse me, I think I shall gain a great deal by questioning Mrs. Raynor tonight. I must ask you not to interfere."

"Then, will you not let her rest a few moments, and return to her later?" Goddard's manner showed only concern for Nan's comfort.

"Yes, I will do that. I will talk to Miss Raynor, and Mrs. Raynor can pull herself together. Tell me anything you can of the matter, Miss Raynor."

"I went upstairs to my room, and I sat a while looking out of the window. I saw Mr. Kent and Miss Dolly Fay cross the lawns toward her home, and I saw Mrs. Lewis, who lives in another direction, also start to walk home. I could see no others, but I heard Mr. Goddard go to his room, across the hall from my own, and I heard Miss Turner moving in and out of the pantry. I heard my brother's footsteps as he went into the house and out again to the sun room, and I heard Mr. Finley go out on the east veranda."

"You have acute hearing, Miss Raynor."

"It has always been good, and I am not yet old enough for it to become impaired. Then, as I thought it getting late, I turned on my lights and looked at my clock. It was nearly seven."

"How near?"

"I don't know—ten or fifteen minutes of seven, I think. Then I heard the shot, and I didn't at first think anything was wrong. I thought of somebody cleaning a gun, or shooting a bird—not definitely, you know, but those thoughts went through my mind. I went out in the hall, but it was so nearly dark I couldn't see anything. As I reached the stairs, a light appeared downstairs, and I hurried down."

"What did you see?"

"Miss Turner just going into the sun parlor—"

"Or coming out?"

"Oh, I never thought of that! Yes, she might have been coming out—"

"Think carefully now; I want to find out who was in the sun room about that time."

"Well, if she was coming out, she was backing out. I—I think she was, now, I recollect the scene."

"Who else was there?"

"Oh, Nan was peering in at the west door, Mr. Finley was just inside the east room, and Mr. Raynor, my poor brother, lay on the floor in a dreadful heap—"

"Who came next?"

"In a few moments Orville Kent came in at the back door, the south one, and he looked after Nan—Mrs. Raynor. But I must tell you that Mr. Finley had the pistol in his hands, and I can't see what further evidence you want than that!"

With the expression of a Nemesis on her sharp, shrewd old face, Miss Raynor sat back in her chair and glared at Malcolm Finley.

"What have you to say, Mr. Finley?" asked Dobbins.

"Only this," Finley replied. "I was on the east veranda—finishing a cigarette, and thinking that as soon as I had finished it I would go up to my room. I heard a shot, and I dare say I tossed the cigarette away unconsciously as I ran in the direction of it."

"Ran?"

"Yes, or walked very swiftly. At any rate, I reached the west door of the sun parlor in a few seconds, and going in I found Mr. Raynor on the floor, a pistol by his side. I picked up the weapon—"

"Don't you know that was a wrong act?"

"I didn't stop to think of right or wrong. I picked it up almost unconsciously; at any rate, involuntarily. It was almost dark, I could with difficulty distinguish what had happened, and then, suddenly, the lights came on, and Miss Turner stood in the house doorway."

(Continued in Monday's Issue)

FOSDICK RESIGNS, MAY PREACH OFTEN

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The congregation of the First Presbyterian church unanimously accepted Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick's resignation. The meeting, however, extended an invitation to Dr. Fosdick to preach at the church "on such Sundays as he finds it convenient."

AMERICA AND ITALY CLOSE LIQUOR PACT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Ratification of th treaty with Italy to prevent illegal importation of intoxicating liquors into this country was exchanged at the state department.

ALLEGED MURDERER RETURNED TO MEXICO

LAREDO, Oct. 24.—Rafael Carbajal, American citizen and alleged slayer of a Mexican in Nuevo Leon last July, was delivered today to Mexican authorities for trial, Governor Neff of Texas having granted extradition on petition of the governor of the state of Nuevo Leon. Carbajal is under two years' sentence in Texas for passing a forged instrument, but will be handed over to Mexican officers at the international monument to face the graver charge, to which **officers say he has confessed.**

GIRL DANCED WITH DRUNKS

Testifies in Oklahoma Dance Hall Case

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 25.—A business man and a justice of the peace from Cromwell, Okla., testified before the United States commissioner that the dance hall conducted by Mrs. Mattie Jonas, arrested on a charge of attempt to violate the Mann act, had been conducted in a lawful manner.

Vivian Wilcox, Tulsa, Okla., testified for the government that she had worked at the dance hall two nights and had danced with men that were intoxicated. She also said she had a quarrel with Mrs. Jonas and the latter used vile language in discharging her. This testimony was refuted by A. H. Husbands, Cromwell man, who said he was present at the time and heard Mrs. Jonas make no vile remarks.

The hearing will be resumed Monday.

K.C.S. OFFICERS PLEASED WITH HOTEL OPERATION

President J. A. Edson of the Kansas City Southern and party were guests Friday noon at a luncheon at the Plaza hotel. The Kansas City Southern is an interested stockholder in the hotel and represents other large interests who hold some of the bonds.

"They seemed mighty well pleased with the hotel the way it is now operated," said Manager Harry Westphall.

Westphall is lessee of the hotel and also operates all eating houses on the KCS line between here and Kansas City.

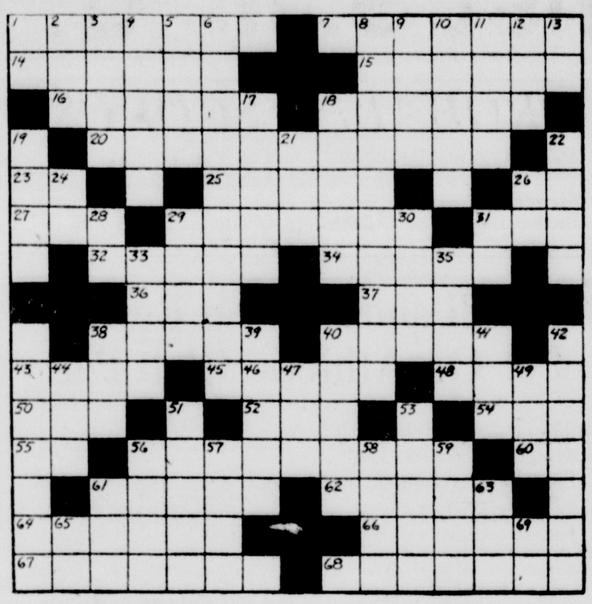
DE VALERA IS ARRESTED, FREED BY ULSTERITES

BELFAST, Oct. 25.—Eamonn De Valera, erstwhile "president of the Irish republic," who insisted upon entering Ulster territory to speak at Newry, was arrested, spent a night in jail and this morning was courteously placed aboard a train and shipped back to the free state territory.

The Irish extremist leader was forbidden by Sir James A. Craig, Ulster premier to speak in the north. De Valera entered the town hall at Newry and was promptly taken to prison. If he tries to enter Ulster again he will be interned.

Let's All Go Crazy!

Here's How to Solve a Crossword



HORIZONTAL

1. Foes.
7. Fatty tissue.
14. Sleepers.
15. Big room in Roman house.
16. Agreement between nations.
18. Addison's associate editor.
20. Airs.
23. Exclamation.
25. Medieval turret.
26. First person plural objective.
27. Beverage.
29. Bilabial and continuant.
31. To imitate.
32. A wet valley.
34. Supplanters.
36. Collection of facts.
37. Respectful title.
38. A representative.
40. Island of immigrants.
43. Legwear.
45. Unclean.
48. A speck.
50. Aurora.
52. Burmese dogger.
54. A stout stick.
55. Belonging to.
56. After Galen's recipe.
60. Negative.
61. Gambled.
62. Celestial wanderer.
64. One who runs away.
66. Place for vacations.
67. Sculptor.
68. Old-fashioned beds.

VERTICAL

1. Edward.
2. Negative.
3. Bible character.
4. Encounters.
5. Bible character.
6. Fabled northern country.
8. Endlessly.
9. A Roman road.
10. To smooth one's feathers.
11. Lubricants.
12. To demand.
13. Printer's measure.
17. Old spelling of hyssop.
18. Reward, pay (obs.).
19. Destiny.
22. Employed.
24. The man.
26. Away from earth.
28. So.
29. Narrow road.
30. An iron pin.
31. A Roman weight.
33. Payment.
35. Hebrew oracles.
38. Silly fool.
39. Surmounted a difficulty.
40. Relating to moral action.
41. A tearful sound.
42. Snappy replies.
44. Money (Eng. slang).
47. Hastened.
49. Sunburn.
51. Batrachian.
53. Domesticates.
56. Yawn.
57. Learning (old English).
58. Heart of a fruit.
59. For fear that.
61. Deity.
63. Pedal digit.
69. Railroad.

Crossword *Puzzle Answer*

CALOMEL POLYGON
ODE EREMITE ORE
RO PARSONAGE TO
O A TOSSERS V C
NARD RE AY BORE
ANTIS NIL PECAN
LILTED N SESAME
MET DOUBT UTE
MASONS R YOGIST
ITSEL HEU RAVER
GELD CO NB RESE
N Y RANIDAE S M
OG MONOTONES GO
NET MOUSEAR BAR
STOPPER SLYNESS

Here is answer to yesterday's puzzle:

FORTUNE IS FOUND IN HOME OF RECLUSE

WINCHESTER, Oct. 25.—A bonded caretaker has been placed on guard at the residence here of Miss Martha Shumate, wealthy spinster who died last week, leaving a hoarded fortune stuffed and crammed in nearly every nook and cranny of the house.

The guard was established when crowds lured by the reports of hidden treasure threatened to overrun the premises. Bank officials said the woman had drawn several thousand dollars from her account recently to distribute in modest bequests among her friends.

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EIGHT SHIPS ARRIVE TODAY

Repairs Are Completed To Norwegian Vessel

Eight arrivals Saturday, including two tankers from Tampico, the French tanker Motrix from France to Beaumont; the cargo ship Clearwater to load at the Texas Company for South America; and the Texas Company tanker Occidental from the Canal Zone, were reported. Sailings included the Lake Gadsden, from Beaumont for the West Indies; the Texas Company tanker Virginia for Providence, and the Gulf company tanker Gulfprince for Philadelphia.

Repairs to deck machinery completed by the McEwan Shipyards here, the Norwegian steamship Steinstad sailed from Port Arthur for Orange today to load out cargo for the West Indies and Georgetown. The vessel is expected to sail about the middle of next week.

ARRIVED OCTOBER 25

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location

Gulfstream, 3202, from Providence to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

Shenandoah, 5143, from Philadelphia to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Occidental, 5108, from Canal Zone to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Louisiana, 1797, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Texas, 5045, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Motrix (Fr.) 3760, from France to Beaumont, Chas. Martin company.

Clearwater, 3038, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Lake Slavi, 1612, from West Indies to Beaumont, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

SAILED OCTOBER 25

Lake Gadsden, 1667, from Beaumont for West Indies, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Virginia, 5048, from Port Arthur for Providence, Texas Company.

Gulfprince, 4098, from Port Arthur for Philadelphia, Gulf company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Mexican Docks

Isonzo (Ital.), 702, U. S. engineers.

Texas Company Docks

Archer, 4872, Lykes-Sgitcovich.
Sch. Stimson, 609, Texas Company.
Shenandoah, 5143, Texas Company.
Occidental, 5108, Texas Company.
Louisiana, 1797, Texas Company.
Texas, 5045, Texas Company.
Clearwater, 3038, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Gulf Company Docks

Gulfstar, 5316, Gulf Company.
Ligonier, 2396, Gulf Company.
Gulfstream, 3202, Gulf company.

AT ORANGE

Steinstad (Nor.), 1480, John E. Jones company.
Valorossa (Ital.), 3177, W. H. Tippin company.

AT BEAUMONT

Abercos, 3729, Lykes-Sgitcovich.
Federal, 4809, Lykes-Sgitcovich.
Motrix (Fr.), 3760, Chas. Martin company.
Lake Slavi, 1677, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, Texas, on Saturday, Oct. 25, at 7 a. m., was 30.33 inches. This closely approximates 770.4 millimeters.

TIDE REPORT

The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Saturday, October 25, at 8 a. m. was 0.8 (eight-tenths) foot, according to the reading of the U. S. engineers gauge.

OBSTRUCTIONS TO NAVIGATION

The following was issued through the New Orleans branch of the United States hydrographic office:

Oct. 19.—Latitude 32 degrees 24 minutes, longitude 78 degrees 30 minutes, the Albert Hill (ss), passed a partly submerged object about 150 feet long; apparently a schooner or large bottom up.—Department of Commerce.

Sept. 29.—Latitude 17 degrees, longitude 75 degrees 50 minutes W., passed a brown painted lifeboat partly filled with water; no name visible.—Charles Pratt (ss), Barbrick.

Sept. 28.—Latitude 44 degrees 27 minutes, longitude 54 degrees 42 minutes, passed a red buoy, apparently a light buoy.—Bolivian (Br. ss), McQuaker; Third Officer Wright.

Oct. 11.—Latitude 43 degrees 5 minutes, longitude 49 degrees 45 minutes, a small yellow fisherman's dory with bow stove in and partly submerged.—Mongolia (ss) Candy Officer Sherb.

Local Notice to Mariners

Pensacola Bay—Caucus Cut Channel—Florida—Caucus Cut Buoy, 13, replaced October 19; heretofore reported out of position.

C. & G. S. Chart No. 490.

Buoy List, Eighth District, 1923, p. 15.

Coast Pilot, Section E, 1916, p. 84.

By order of the commissioner of lighthouses. E. S. Lanphier, superintendent of lighthouses.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS TO MEET TONIGHT

The Port Arthur Camp Fire girls will hold a Grand Council Fire at the Department Club tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The ceremonial was planned for Lions Park but because of the continued cool weather the ceremonial meeting will be held at the clubhouse. Capt. D. W. Eddy will speak to the girls on this occasion and honor beads will be awarded some of the girls and ranks conferred upon others.

SELZNICK COMPANY FACES BANKRUPTCY

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The Selznick Distributing corporation, a motion picture concern, was petitioned in involuntary bankruptcy today by three creditors, with claims aggregating $3,000. No estimates of the assets or liabilities was given in the papers.

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TEXAS VOTE RECORD PREDICTED BY BERRY

DALLAS, Oct. 25.—The largest vote in a general election in the history of Texas was predicted today for November 4 by E. A. Berry, democratic state chairman.

"Every indication points to a record breaking vote of 600,000 or more," he said. "There is no doubt of the kind of vote the majority will be, either." He repeated the claim that the entire democratic ticket will be elected.

NEGRO'S FINGER IS CRUSHED, AMPUTATED

Injuries received by Roy Mayfield, negro, of 930 Roosevelt avenue, when his left hand caught in machinery at the Pekin Cooperage company plant about 2 o'clock Friday afternoon necessitated the amputation of the third finger on his hand, authorities at Mary Gates hospital said today. Mayfield's condition is not serious, according to report from the hospital.

WALLACE SERIOUSLY ILL IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The condition of Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, who is seriously ill at the naval hospital here with toxemia resulting from a post-operational infection, was unchanged today, according to hospital authorities.

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LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO RUTH BURKE, CONTINUED

After Karl and John had gone to carry out mother's charitable idea, I went up to her room and found her sitting beside the window with her hands folded in her lap, and with such a look of utter loneliness upon her face that I hastened to put my arms around her and tell her that John and I were going to always try to carry out her wishes, and that he and Karl had already gone to bring some comfort to that other woman, who had buried not only her love and her hopes, but probably her only support.

"I do hope he will find her, Leslie, and tell her I will defray all the funeral expenses."

"He will, dearest," I answered.

Shortly she began to talk to me about her life with my father. She told me of an evening when she had been sitting with him a week or two before. After they had been silent quite a while and she thought he was asleep, he reached out and clasped her hand, and whispered: "Alice, I'm afraid I'm not going to get well."

"I said to him, Leslie," she explained, "that he must not think of anything like that, and he, to comfort me, said: 'Well, we might as well think about it a little, even if I do get well.

"'Alice,' he said after a little hesitation, 'I wonder if you know that you have always been the real lodestar of my existence? I have worked for your approval, and played for your pleasure. I have spent what I have earned only to make you happy; and, my dear, I want you to remember, after I am gone, that all through our long life together, what you have said and what you have done has been perfectly right in my eyes. I would not have had you changed one iota, wife of mine!

"I'm not afraid to die. I have always felt that if there be a God, he is love, and he approves of everything I have done. I don't know, Alice dear, whether it is eternal oblivion or eternal life, but having lived as well as I know how, having tried to rectify my mistakes and to be humble in my successes, and having done what I could to make others happy always, whether it be the end of all or the beginning of another and more glorious existence, I will take my chance'."

To tell me this seemed to comfort mother a great deal, and she kept talking on, telling me of episodes and events in her and father's life. I let her ramble on, for in my mind, Ruth, I knew I was going to try and have her bury all this in her heart after today. I do not believe that any woman can be happy by living in the past.

In a little while Karl and Jack came back, having found the woman and told her that mother would pay all the funeral expenses. This was a great surprise to her. She confided to them that she had not know what she was going to do; that the insurance upon her husband's life was a thousand dollars, and she had spent practically all of it for the funeral.

"After this week," she said, "I would have been obliged to send my children to a home, but I would not have anyone think that I did not love my man, or that I would fail in respect to his memory."

Isn't that pathetic! Why must we gauge all our sense of right and wrong by what people say of us?

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TOMORROW—This letter continued.

Latest News From Louisiana Towns

ALEXANDRIA. — Calamity smote the river front section of Pineville when death and fire visited neighboring homes within two hours, A. J. LeBlanc, dying at 6 o'clock in the evening, and fire two hours later destroyed the residence of J. T. Bidwell, a neighbor of the LeBlancs.

LAFAYETTE.—St. Mary's Orphan home was dedicated with nearly 4,000 people attending the ceremonies. The building and grounds are valued at $110,000, and the construction of another wing, at a cost of $40,000 is contemplated. Right Rev. J. M Laval, D. D., auxiliary bishop of New Orleans, officiated at the special dedication services.

LAFAYETTE.—Mrs. Albert Turner of Morgan City, a sister to Mrs St. Jugru, of Lafayette, suffered severe injuries when her automobile and another car collided on the highway near Broussard.

NEW ORLEANS.—Stephen E. Ravicish, 11, of 3912 Perrier street, was instantly killed when he skated in front of a city truck. Lambert, Murphy, of 852 St. Charles street, driver of the truck, was exonerated of blame, according to police reports.

LAKE CHARLES.—This city will have an opportunity to welcome the around the world army fliers on their return trip to New Orleans from the Pacific coast if plans of Mayor Trotti and the Association of Commerce are carried out. Telegrams have been sent to General Patrick, chief of the air service, asking that he allow the fliers to stop here, and pointing out that the city is on a direct line to New Orleans.

LAFAYETTE.—About 20 cases, including a major operation, are scheduled for attention at the next regular monthly clinic for crippled children under the auspices of the Lafayette parish chapter of the Red Cross, Miss Gertrude McDowell, secretary of the chapter, said.

LAFAYETTE.—Due to a shortage in the city water supply, resulting from dry weather conditions and also a lack of sufficient pumping facilities pending completion of repairs at the plant, residents are conserving the supply.

COUSHATTA.—W. E. Caston, of this place, won first prize in the old fiddlers' contest held at the Central Louisiana fair in Alexandria. Caston played four selections, "Sally With the Pancakes," "Forked Deer," "Leather Breeches," and "Natchez Under the Hill."

LAKE CHARLES.—A young man giving the name of George Boyd, of New Orleans, is being held by police here in connection with an investigation being conducted into his being in the J. C. Penny company store after working hours. The man was found in the building by F. E. Kendrick, manager, who went into the store about 8 o'clock in the night, and summoned police, who arrested the man.

LAFAYETTE.—W. B. Broussard has established a new grocery store at 228 Jefferson street, known as the Elite grocery. The building was formerly occupied by J. P. Buquor before he moved to his new location in the rear of the Jefferson theater.

OPELOUSAS.—Plans are being made to have all the Confederate veterans in St. Landry parish to attend the state re-union at Shreveport on November 5 and 6.

OPELOUSAS. —Miss Cecile Dejean, 85, died at her home in this city and funeral services were conducted from the local Catholic church.

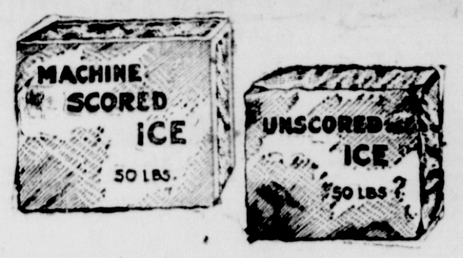
RUM RUNNER CREW HEARING CONTINUED

NEW LONDON, Conn., Oct. 25.—Charges of violation of the Anglo-American rum treaty against the crew of the three-masted rBitish schooner Over the Top, seized on rum row by the coast guard cutter Tampa Monday morning, were continued until Nov. 6, at the adjourned hearing today before United States Commissioner Mathewson.

MAN PUT ON TICKET TO SUCCEED FATHER

SHERMAN, Oct. 25.—Ray Gibson of Pottsboro was this afternoon named by the democratic executive committee to take the place on the ticket as County commissioner made vacant by the death of his father, J. H. Gibson, last week. It also was stated that he will be appointed to fill out his father's unexpired term.

Ivory white is much more flattering to the average woman than pure white, and is much preferred for frocks. The newest evening gowns have a pinkish glow to them, though they are called white.



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Yellowjackets Accorded Outside Chance By Beaumont, Triumphant Over South Park

Texas Aggies to Try Luck Against S. M. U. Today

RICE TACKLES HORNED FROGS AT COW TOWN

Texas Due For Beating By Florida

FOOTBALL fully equal in bitterness and competitive spirit to that shown last Saturday between Texas and S. M. U. will be seen again today at Dallas when the Methodists meet the undefeated Texas Aggies in the state fair park stadium.

For two years S. M. U. has defeated the Farmers, last year starting the Bible team on its trail of defeats by every conference comer. Will A. & M. be defeated for the third time this year? Only tonight will tell.

Last Year, This Year

Again the situation is much the same as last week. S. M. U. is a better team man for man than A. & M., just as against Texas. However, A. & M. has no injuries. Neither has S. M. U., such things seemingly being confined to the camp of the Texas Longhorns. A. & M. enters much the same team against S. M. U. today that proved the greatest fizzle ever for the maroon banners last year, while S. M. U. has much the same team that won the title last year.

And yet—

Last year A. & M. brilliantly defeated Sewanee 14-0 shortly before bowing to the Mustangs 10 to 0 on Kyle field at College Station. But while the personnel may be much the same, the teams are not. A. & M., coached by Rothgeb in addition to Bible this year, seems to be coming along very well. The Aggies seem to have a greater defense than ever this year. Fay Wilson, always something of a liability as a punter, is getting his punts off quicker and higher this year, so they say. A. & M.'s line is again the famous stone wall as of old, the super-defensive team put out by Dana Bible. Rothgeb is putting the offensive punch into the team this year, so they say.

S. M. U. is a very strong team, and yet last year when it won from A. & M. it was admitted that A. & M. was really a better team. But S. M. U. is admitted to be a nimbler, trickier team. Last Saturday the Ponies couldn't punch the crippled Texas line consistently enough to advance the ball, but won all the same. Only four out of 16 passes were completed, but one of them was good for 80 yards to a touchdown position. Logan Stollenwerck is a good field general who outthought the Aggies last year, and he may be the same old "Stolly" today.

The score will be very close today, perhaps it will be only 3 to 0 either way, or there may be a scoreless tie. Despite the superiority of the Mustangs it is an even toss-up because the Aggies give promise this year of being one of the great A. & M. teams of old. Any follower of southwestern football knows what that means.

S. M. U. and its followers are talking about the great Cortmegila, the wild bull from the Brazos bottoms down about Bryan, where he played with Bryan high school. The wild one weighs something more than 200 pounds, quite an advantage for a player if he has any speed at all, and yet it seems that the "terrible wop" is in danger of being overrated. Still he may be the star of today's game.

A victory either way today would be no surprise, for there is plenty of material for argument. Should S. M. U. win, the Mustangs will be decided favorites for the championship, something they have not been heretofore. Only Baylor can then stop the Dallas crew, barring the ever-presented unexpected in football.

Only a few miles away Rice will be playing T. C. U. at Fort Worth. The Owls should win this game if they are ever to win a game. Rice is primed for it, and has been displaying enough good football in the last game or two to finally come through. And, incidentally, the Owls have also been displaying enough bad football in the way of fumbles and the like to make entirely possible a loss today.

Texas is in for a thumping at Austin today against Florida, a team that averages more than 185 pounds. Florida outplayed Georgia Tech in a 7-7 tie and last week Georgia Tech defeated Penn State 15 to 13. That's the dope on that. Texas is still a powerful contender in the conference, and would like only too well to uphold its honors against the old south today, but the odds seem too powerful. The Longhorns have not yet built a hospital addition to their gymnasium, but the reports of injuries from Austin would certainly justify such an addition. Florida's scout at Dallas last week said the Alligators would beat Texas 40 to 0, all of which lends no encouragement. But you never can tell, as the saying goes.

Baylor should come through against Austin college, at Waco, although the Kangaroos have always been tough for the Bears. Coach Bridges, who is leaving his team in charge of Line Coach Jim Crow while watching the Aggies at Dallas, will take no chances today, for his heart is set on defeating A. & M. next week.

Arkansas plays an out-of-conference game today against "Ole Miss," the University of Mississippi, which should be easy for the Razorbacks. "Ole Miss" took its customary beating from Mississippi A. & M. last week-end, 20 to 0. Oklahoma A. & M. also plays out of the conference against Phillips university of Enid, Okla.

When Notre Dame Rammed Across Against Army, 13 to 7



Notre Dame defeated the Army eleven 13 to 7 in what football experts declared to be the best exhibition of the game seen in years. The Polo Grounds in New York was jammed with 65,000 spectators. Here is pictured the first touchdown when Layden, of Notre Dame, bucked two yards through center.

Port Arthur Pirates To Play Galveston Hurrinanes Sunday

Game to be Played Tomorrow on Pleasure Pier to Start at 3:30

Two years ago the Galveston Hurricanes trimmed the old-time Port Arthur Pirates, then one of the best amateur outfits outside of college in the country.

Tomorrow the new Pirates will be out to even up that old defeat, for the Hurricanes come to town to meet the locals in the second game of the season. The Pirates started off last week with 19-0 win over the First Ward Cubs of Houston.

However, today's game will be much better than last week's, according to present indications—in fact, the Pirates may very likely come out of the scrap second best. The game will be played on the pier at 3:30.

CHICAGO-OHIO GLOOM HEAVY

Both Coaches Seem To Be Afraid of Defeat

BY HENRY L. FARRELL
United Press Staff Correspondent

COLUMBUS, Oct. 25.—Facing a defeat that will remove one prominent championship contender, the undefeated Chicago and Ohio State elevens drew up for the big game of the western conference here this afternoon.

With both coaches refusing to admit any great hope of winning the game is seemed that the issue was more of a fear of defeat than a confidence of victory.

A victory by either team will mean much as it not only will keep the winner in the race for a while at least, but it will offer a fine chance for a clear title on the conference championship as each team has a later game with Illinois, which is running a strong favorite for the title.

Chicago was picked as favorite in neutral quarters and even around the Ohio State campus there was a rather gloomy expression that was very much in keeping with a gray, hazy morning.

Ohio has three men, Young, Hunt and Karow in bad shape. They may start the game, but it is certain that they will not be up to their usual game. In the case of Karow, it will be a great handicap to the team. Chicago is not only on in better physical condition but Coach Stagg has a heavier and more experienced team as the Ohio eleven is practically a sophomore eleven.

Football Yesterday

COLLEGE

At Russellville, Ark.: Russellville Aggies 23, Dallas university 6.

At Annapolis: Navy 27, West Virginia Wesleyan 7.

Pittsburg 2, Carnegie Tech 7.

Georgetown 7, Bucknell 14.

St. Edward's 7, Daniel Baker 0.

East Texas Teachers 17, Abilene Christian College 7.

Southwestern 7, Trinity 3.

HIGH SCHOOL

At Breckenridge: Cisco 0, Breckenridge 0.

At Temple: Belton 3, Temple 0.

At Corpus Christi: San Marcos Baptist Academy 7, Corpus Christi High 12.

At Corsicana: Waco High 43, Corsicana 0.

At Killeen: Gatesville High 13; Killeen 14.

At Clovis, N. M.: Amarillo High 14, Clovis 6.

Texarkana 7, Lufkin 0.

At Wichita Falls: Wichita Falls Junior College 24; Devol All-Stars 0.

At Kingsville: Kingsville 0; Robstown 12.

At Clarendon 19; Canyon 9.

Vega 0; Claude 7.

SHEA BEATS SARMIENTO

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—After ten rounds of toe-to-toe fighting, Eddie Shea of Chicago, won a shade victory over Pete Sarmiento, the Filipino in the windup at East Chicago.

He's Mean Fellow



MORRIS SCHLAIEFER

Mickey Walker, welterweight champion of the works, says Morris Schlaifer of Omaha is the hardest hitting opponent he ever met.

"I knocked the Hebrew out in six rounds in the west last year," says Walker, "but before I did he got over a punch that shook me to my toes."

Schlaifer is one of those in and out battlers. One night he may look like the mint, and the next you wouldn't trade him for a wet cracker.

A.-M. ARRIVES LATE AT NIGHT

Farmers and Mustangs On Edge For Today

DALLAS, Oct. 25.—Short periods of light practice during the morning set the Texas Aggies and Southern Methodist University elevens on edge for their game before a state fair crowd here today. The Farmers arrived here late last night from College Station.

AUSTIN, Oct. 25.—With a line averaging 185 pounds and a backfield several pounds heavier, the Florida Alligators were confident of victory in their afternoon clash with Texas University.

FORT WORTH, Oct. 25.—Rice Institute from Houston was here today for revenge from their 1923 defeat by Texas Christian University. Both teams were reported in good condition.

WACO, Oct. 25.—"Dope" favors Austin College in the afternoon fracas with Baylor University. Several cripples on the Baylor squad gave the locals bearish standing.

SECONDS FOR BULLDOGS

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 25.—If the game goes the way he expects it, Coach Tad Jones will use most of his second string men in today's game with Brown and will send two full teams into the big gowl. Both teams will have the lightest lineup since the world war.

Football Card Today

First, home team; second, opponent; third, place of game:

Alabama Poly., Louisiana St., Birmingham.
Amherst, Hamilton, Amherst.
Arizona, New Mexico Agriculture, Tucson.
Arkansas, Mississippi, Little Rock.
Bates, Bowdoin, Lewiston.
Baylor, Austin, Waco.
Boston College, Allegheny, Boston.
Butler, Wabash, Indianapolis.
California, Washington State, Berkeley.
Canyon, Simmons, Canyon.
Carson-Newman, Cumberland, Jefferson City.
Case, Hiram, Cleveland.
Centre, West Virginia, New York.
Cincinnati, Ohio Northern, Ada.
Colgate, Hobart, Hamilton.
C. C. N. Y., R. I. State, New York.
Colorado Agriculture, Utah Agriculture, Fort Collins.
Columbia, Williams, New York.
Creighton, Haskell, Omaha.
Dayton, Loyola, Dayton.
Denver, Colorado Mines, Denver.
Drake, Oklahoma, Des Moines.
Franklin, Rose Poly, Franklin.
Georgetown, Bucknell, Washington.
Georgia Tech, Alabama, Atlanta.
Gonzaga, Multnomah A. C., Spokane.
Harvard, Dartmouth, Cambridge.
Holy Cross, Fordham, Worcester.
Idaho Stanford, Portland.
Illinois, DePauw, Urbana.
Iowa, Minnesota, Iowa City.
Johns Hopkins, George Washington, Baltimore.
John Tarleton, Texas Agriculture Fr., Stephenville.
Kansas, Nebraska, Lawrence.
Kentucky, Sewanee, Lexington.
Lehigh, Rutgers, Bethlehem.
Louisiana College, So. W. La., Pineville.
Louisiana Tech, Little Rock, Ruston.
Loyola, Oglethorpe, New Orleans.
Maine, Colby, Orono.
Massachusetts Agriculture, Wesleyan, Amherst.
Michigan, Wisconsin, Ann Arbor.
Mississippi Cllege, Birmingham Southern, Clinton.
Missouri, Kansas Agriculture, Columbia.
Mitana Mines, Montana, Butte.
New Hampshire, Tufts, Manchester.
N. Y. University, Trinity, New York.
North Carolina, Maryland, Chapel Hill.
Northwestern, Michigan Agriculture, Evanston.
Oberlin, Denison, Oberlin.
Ohio State, Chicago, Columbus.
Ohio Wesleyan, Otterbein, Delaware.
Oregon, Whitman, Eugene.
Pennsylvania, Virginia, Philadelphia.
Penn State, Syracuse, State College.
Phillips, Northwestern Teachers, Enid.
Princeton, Notre Dame, Princeton.
Princeton Fr., Phillips Exeter, Princeton.
Ripon, Lawrence, Ripon.
St. John's, Villanova, New York.
St. Louis, Detroit, St. Louis.
San Marcs, Sam Houston, San Marcos.
Suthern Methodist, Texas Agriculture, Dallas.
Tennessee, Mississippi Agrhuiture, Memphis.
Texas, Florida, Austin.
Texas Christian, Rice, Fort Worth.
Tulane, Spring Hill, New Orleans.
Tulsa, Central, Tulsa.
U. S. Military Academy, Boston University, West Point.
U. S. Naval Academy, West Virginia Wesleyan, Annapolis.
University Southern California, Nevada, Los Angeles.
Valparaiso, St. Viator, Valparaiso.
Virginia Military Institute, North Carolina State, Richmond.
Virginia Poly, Washington-Lee, Lynchburg.
Washington, Missouri Mines, St. Louis.
Washington, Oregon Agriculture, Seattle.
Washington-Jefferson, Lafayette, New York.
Yale, Brown, New Haven.

New Michigan Outfit Will Meet Wisconsin

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 25.—A changed Michigan team from the one which ran into "Red" Grange last week will greet Wisconsin when the two teams clash on Ferry field this afternoon. Captain Herb Steger has been shoved into quarter, Rockwell to a half position. Friedman is playing a half and Marion has been switched from one of the wings to fullback.

Wisconsin is pointed for the Wolverines. They have a bigger team than Michigan and are in good shape.

Pancho Villa to Meet Goldstein in Manila

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 24.—Pancho Villa, worlds flyweight champion, has sailed for Manila where he is to meet Abe Goldstein in an effort to lift the latter's bantamweight championship.

One sees very few white kid gloves on the well-dressed woman today, those of beige or gray being infinitely better style.

PURPLE OUTFIT BIG FAVORITE AGAINST P. A.

Dimmitt Uses Many 'Subs' Against South Park

"WELL, they've got a chance—that's about all."

This was the remark overheard on Magnolia avenue in Beaumont yesterday after the Beaumont-South Park clash yesterday, in which the Dimmitt-coached team did entirely as expected, winning 52 to 0. The remark referred to the Port Arthur Yellowjackets, now the question mark so far as Beaumont is concerned.

Whereas Beaumont has only a game with Orange next week to bother about before meeting Port Arthur, the Yellowjackets will have to fight like all creation next Saturday at Houston against the strong Central high team. Unfortunately Port Arthur has no competition today, and unless great pains are taken the team may go stale under the duress of a two weeks rest.

"How much did Port Arthur beat South Park?"

"Did Port Arthur play their first string all the time?"

"What kind of plays did Port Arthur use?"

These are merely samples of the questions heard on all sides yesterday during and after the game. In fact, the Beaumont fans were about as much interested in anything pertaining to Port Arthur as to the game of the day itself. They knew a surprising lot about the Port Arthur team in the South Park game 'at that, talking about the regular quarterback and one halfback that were out that day.

Beaumont high played the kind of football that might have been expected. Even more so, if anything. Not a pass was tried by the purple-clad boys, not a thing but straight smashing line plays. No, they weren't even smashing, for there were no injuries. But that was entirely the kind of a game for Beaumont to play, considering that there was nothing at stake and that 40 Port Arthur Yellowjackets were in the stands watching every move.

To return to the sentence at the top of this column:

"Well, they've got a chance—that's about all."

That is more or less true, and in precisely that statement may lie the only hope of the scrapping Yellowjackets. We have seen South Park in action against both Port Arthur and Beaumont, and while South Park's light team is no basis for comparison, still Beaumont ripped South Park yesterday far more than Port Arthur did. In a word, Beaumont looked much better than Port Arthur against South Park. In the Port Arthur-South Park it will be remembered that the score was 13-0 in the first quarter and remained so until the final period, when the Yellowjackets started scoring again and ran up the score to 47-0.

It can be truthfully said that the Yellowjackets are somewhat overconfident, due to lack of serious competition, and that they have not as good a team as the boys themselves think. The Houston Central game should be best primer possible for the Beaumont game on Armistice day.

We believe that Beaumont has individually better football material than Port Arthur, heavier material, and that Beaumont should be a decided favorite against Port Arthur. The Yellowjackets have only one hope, and this is that they will fight like they never have fought before. All Beaumont is talking about the coming game with Port Arthur. It's up to the Yellowjackets to fight the big purple team to a frazzle, for that is Port Arthur's only hope.

Yesterday's game was a dull affair for an outsider to watch. Beaumont probably could have whipped South Park 100 to 0 if necessary, but practically every boy on Dimmitt's squad was given a chance to play against the Fehl-coached team.

The greatest thrill of the game came in the last few minutes, with the cold haze of dusk creeping over the dusty field, when Blanchette, nothing but a "kid" wearing a pair of moleskins too large and an old gray sweatshirt, intercepted a South Park pass on South Park's 50-yard line and ran to a touchdown. Blanchette was a third string substitute and yesterday probably was the first time he ever played in a game. South Park was doing the dangerous thing of passing in its territory, but what's a touchdown or two between friends of the old home town?

South Park tried hard to score, but never had a chance to make a touchdown. Twice they tried to dropkick, once from the 40-yard line and again from the 35-yard line at a slight angle. Both attempts missed widely and were short.

The last attempt might have been successful but the South Park quarterback elected to try for the goal on the first down instead of trying to advance the ball down the field a little and squarely in front of the posts.

There was much fumbling yesterday, most of it by South Park, although Beaumont was guilty of bad fumbles on a number of occasions. Dutch Bergeen refereed, with Cheesman as umpire and Morrison head linesman.

3-2 ON NOTRE DAME

PRINCETON, Oct. 25.—Notre Dame will find plenty of fight this afternoon, when they meet Princeton, who, although they are expected to give Knute Rockne's men a stiffer fight than the army did, are not given better than a 3 to 2 chance to get away with the big end of the score.

PROBABLE SCORES

Texas A. & M. 7, S. M. U. 3.
Florida 14, Texas 0.
Baylor 13, Austin College 7.
Rice 7, T. C. U. 0.
Arkansas 13, Mississippi 0.
Oklahoma A. & M. 20, Phillips 0.

Bernardi and Wildcat Ewing Put On Athletic Club Party

Tough Tony Squats on Ewing and Wins Two Falls in Four Rounds

Tough Tony Bernardi's no boxer, and Wildcat Ewing's no wrestler. They found that out last night at the Port Arthur Athletic club.

Jimmy Guest, scheduled to box Ewing, failed to show up, as these fellows often have a habit of doing, according to announcement, and the mixed bout was offered to the crowd as a substitute. Bernardi won two falls by sitting down by Ewing in four rounds. Ewing scarcely hit Bernardi with anything but the palm side of his glove more than half a dozen times. But the crowd liked it and Tony liked it, and Wildcat liked it, and what more would you have?

A couple of battles royal and a ten minute wrestling match were the preliminary events. It was announced that Ewing would meet Frankie Turi here next Friday night as the main event of another athletic smoker, with Smiling Kelly slated against Ewing on the following Friday night.

McTigue Thrown Out By N. Y. Commission

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Mike McTigue, world's light heavyweight champion, has been suspended for one year by the New York boxing commission for his failure to accept the challenge of Gene Tunney, American title holder. McTigue's suspension put a stop to the negotiations that had been nearly completed for a fight with Paul Berlenbach.

Gibbons Wins From Johnson in Opener

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 25.—Tommy Gibbons, heavyweight contender knocked out Teddie Johnson of Milwaukee, light heavyweight, in the first round of their scheduled 15 round bout here last night. The Milwaukee fighter was helpless from the start and during the brief interval he managed to keep on his feet took a terrific pummeling.

Captain Three Years



WALTER KOPISCH

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'MICKS' PLAY PRINCETON IN EAST'S LEADER

Harvard Faces Stiff Task Against Dartmouth

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—While the Notre Dame-Princeton game tops the east's football card today, there are several other contests that will receive as much if not more attention from the fans.

Included in this list will be the seven undefeated teams of the east who will all meet stiff opposition today.

Dartmouth, after a gruelling battle with Yale last Saturday has another on her hands today at Cambridge with Harvard, one of the undefeated elevens who have not been tied as has Dartmouth.

Yale, the third member of the big three, will probably have stiff going against Brown.

La Fayette and Washington-Jefferson, two of the teams with only victories behind them, clash here at Yankee Stadium.

Williams, which includes Cornell in its row of victims, must conquer Columbia here to come through with a clean sheet.

Rutgers, another of the undefeated elevens, must overcome the Lehigh defense that held Princeton to a nothing to nothing score two weeks ago. Syracuse must win from Penn State and Pennsylvania from Virginia to come out with a row of Goose eggs for their opponents' column of the season.

The West Virginia-Centre College game at the Polo grounds here should furnish some good football here, although the praying Colonels haven't the team that made them famous a few years ago in their defeat of Harvard.

NAVY CHANGES LINEUP

ANNAPOLIS, Oct. 25.—On the eve of the game with West Virginia, the Navy made a change in their lineup, putting Banks in the backfield in place of H. H. Caldwell, and Rex Caldwell at right end instead of Bennet.

CADETS FAVORED 5-2 OVER BOSTON COLLEGE

WEST POINT, Oct. 25.—Several Army scrubs will start in the "Army lineup" when they face Boston College this afternoon. The varsity men, however, will be ready to go in at any time. The cadets were about a 5 to 2 favorite over the New Englanders.

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BOB BUTLER
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HELP WANTED, MALE

HIGH SCHOOL boy or man with car part or full time, salary. Box "B. A.," care News.

PRESSER and hustler, attractive proposition to right party. American Tailoring Co., 927 Mobile.

WANTED—Boys. Port Arthur News.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE

WANTED—Ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once, "Fashion Embroideries," 995, Lima, Ohio.

Employment
HELP WANTED, FEMALE

WANTED — Experienced lady for ready-to-wear. Good salary and permanent position. Give references, Box 1017, Port Arthur, Tex.

WANTED—Young lady who wants good home, Beaumont, with good salary. Address P. O. Box 1073, Beaumont.

SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

BOILER FIREMAN or night watchman wants position. Write Box 800, News.

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EXPERIENCED stenographer desires office work. References furnished. Phone 2137-J.

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$5 to $50.00 quickly loaned to men and women steadily employed. Long time payment plan, lowest rates, all dealings confidential.
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Oldest in Texas, loaning $5 to $50 without security to working men and women. Rates lowest—service best. 206-207 Tyrell Bldg.

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MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES

FOR SALE—20-gage Remington pump gun, also Pierce Arrow bicycle. 1047 DeQueen, phone 2636-W.

THREE gas heaters for sale cheap. Sam Harris, 1327 Procter.

FOR SALE—Window glass and wind shields. Call 750 and we do the rest. Builders Lumber Co.

NICE LINE OF EASEL OR SWING PICTURE FRAMES. Art Craft Studio, 242 Procter.

FOR SALE—Good home made quilts, real cheap. 2119 Eighth.

WICKER baby buggy in good condition. 2621 Seventh street, phone 2256-J.

DROP AWNING in good condition, about 50x8, a bargain. See Mr. Martin at The News.

GOOD USED Singer machines $20.00 up, easy terms. Phone 1896.

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THE NEWS

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Rentals
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FOUR-ROOM unfurnished apartment at 309 Shreveport avenue. City water and sewer furnished. Phone 2080-W.

PROCTER—Apartment modern, close in, conveniently arranged for renting rooms. W. S. Carter, 819 Procter, phone 1054.

TWO furnished rooms, private bath, lights, water, gas, front, rear entrance. Phone 504.

SEVENTH 1237—New 3-room furnished apartment, modern.

APARTMENT, all modern conveniences, 819 Lake Shore drive. Apply Fuller's Cafe.

PROCTER—Apartment, $30.00 six nice large modern rooms, hot water. Phone 1901.

SIXTH 1837—Two 3-room apartments furnished all modern conveniences with garages.

FIFTH 3525—Three-room furnished apartment, modern throughout garage. Reasonable rent. Phone 1227

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HOUSES

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LAKE SHORE DRIVE 1733—Four-room house and garage. Phone 883.

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Rentals
HOUSES

DALLAS AND SEVENTH CORNER—Twelve-room rooming house with servants' house. All conveniences.

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TWELVE-ROOM house, modern, 6 rooms furnished. 1649 Houston avenue. Apply 1700 Houston avenue, phone 2663-W.

THOMAS BLVD. 921—Six-room house lights, phone, water. Phone 1974-W.

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MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT

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ROOMS, FURNISHED

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ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING

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FOURTH ST. 723—Two rooms completely furnished for housekeeping $20.00 month.

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SEVENTH ST. 728—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences.

TENTH ST. 2102—Two large unfurnished rooms, lights and water furnished, $20.00.

NINTH 2101—Two large unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences. Reasonable. Phone 2583-J.

SIXTH 928—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, couple only. Also single bedroom.

SEVENTH ST. 2233—Three unfurnished rooms, private bath, also garage, $23.00 month.

SEVENTH ST. 1425—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms, connecting bath.

THIRTEENTH ST. 1619 — Three rooms unfurnished, all modern conveniences, also garage, $20 month.

EIGHTH ST. 2211—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences, $25.00 month.

317 SHREVEPORT—Two completely furnished housekeeping rooms, all modern conveniences, $25 month, garage

SIXTH ST. 620—Three excellent rooms furnished, good neighborhood, close in, garage.

Rentals
ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING

BEAUMONT AVE. 441—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms modern Phone 2117-W.

EIGHTH 1041—Two rooms completely furnished for housekeeping.

NINTH ST. 2601—Two unfurnished modern rooms, couple only. Also garage.

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Real Estate For Sale
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HOUSES FOR SALE

A NEAT 5-room modern home just completed with lights, shell, garage and a well of soft water. One half acre of high land on Lewis road one mile from city limits. I will sell for thirty-five hundred dollars ($3500) if taken at once. Seven year notes. 1924 taxes paid.
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LOTS FOR SALE

WELL FILLED lot, 3400 block Sixth, cheap for cash. Phone 2244-J after 5 p. m.

LOT on Fourteenth. Would take roadster car in good condition or trade. Apply 1240 Fourteenth.

EQUITY of $142.40, corner and adjoining lot, Wagner's Addition for $110 cash. Box "XX," care News.

A BARGAIN—New 5-room and bath, all modern. Owner, 1336 Fourteenth.

$250 EQUITY for $150 cash, Griffing lot 6, block 90. Consider Ford. Phone 1712-W.

HOLLYWOOD LOTS—My equity in one or two choice Hollywood lots at original price. P. O. Box 871.

BIG ACRE TRACTS ON THE DRYDEN ROAD

Have just placed on the market 20 1-acre tracts right on the Dryden road. Price ranges from $900 to $1200 per acre. Same price of a city lot, 10 per cent cash, 2 per cent per month. If you have a real good equity in a house and lot in the city and the price is right we make a trade. 'Nough said. Automobiles wait at the office to take you to the property.
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Office 401 Procter St. Phone 819

WANTED REAL ESTATE

WANTED TO BUY—Lot for cash, must be in old city limits. Apply 715 Liberty ave.

Sheriff, Auctions, Legal
LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 640

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF A SPECIAL FUND TO BE KNOWN AS THE "DRAINAGE CONSTRUCTION FUND"; PROVIDING FOR THE TRANSFER OF $16,000.00 FROM THE WATER AND SEWER FUND TO SAID SPECIAL FUND FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS TO THE CITY'S DRAINAGE SYSTEM BY PROVIDING A DRAINAGE PUMP IN PORT ARTHUR HEIGHTS, AT SHREVEPORT AND LAKE SHORE DRIVE AND ON GRANNIS AVENUE; PROVIDING THAT NO VOUCHERS SHALL BE DRAWN ON SAID FUND SAVE AND EXCEPT FOR THE PURCHASE OF SAID PUMPS AND FOR THEIR INSTALLATION, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

Whereas, a net revenue has been derived from the operation of the Water and Sewer Department of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, and

Whereas, Section 19 of Chapter 4 of Article 8 of the Charter of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, provides that any and all net revenues derived from the operation of any and all public utilities owned or operated by the City shall be placed in a Special Fund and be used only in the construction or purchase of betterments to such utilities or the construction or purchase of other utilities or the construction of permanent improvements for the City, and

Whereas, it has been determined by the Commission of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, that it is necessary to provide a Drainage Pump in Port Arthur Heights Addition to said City, at Shreveport and Lake Shore Drive and on Grannis Avenue, and that said pumps are permanent improvements for the City of Port Arthur, Texas, and

Whereas, it has been determined by the Commission of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, that a special fund should be created, to be known as a "Drainage Construction Fund," and that $16,000.00 from the Water and Sewer Fund should be transferred to said Drainage Construction Fund for the purpose of providing said pumps, paying the cost thereof and the cost of their installation, and that no checks or vouchers shall be drawn on said Fund, save and except for the purchase of said pumps and paying the cost of the installation thereof.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS:

Section 1. That there is hereby created a Special Fund to be known as a "DRAINAGE CONSTRUCTION FUND," which said Fund when created shall be used for the payment of the purchase and installation of Drainage Pumps for the City of Port Arthur, Texas, one to be located in Port Arthur Heights Addition to the City of Port Arthur, Texas, one at Shreveport and Lake Shore Drive and one on Grannis Avenue.

Section 2. That in order to create said Special Fund there is hereby transferred from the Water and Sewer Fund to said Special Drainage Construction Fund the sum of $16,000.00, which said sum is to be used for the purchase and installation of said pumps, as herein provided for, and which said pumps are hereby declared to be permanent improvements for said City.

Section 3. That the City Commission of said City is hereby authorized to do and perform such acts and things as are necessary to accomplish the transfer of said $16,000.00 from the Water and Sewer Fund to said Special Drainage Construction Fund, and when said sum has been transferred to said Special Fund hereby created, that no check or vouchers shall be drawn on said Special Fund, save and except for the purchase and installation of said pumps, including all labor and material to be purchased for the installation of said pumps as herein provided for.

Section 4. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published once in the Port Arthur News, same being a newspaper published and having a general circulation in the City of Port Arthur, Texas, and shall take effect from and after said publication.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND READ, this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1924.

J. P. LOGAN, Mayor.
B. J. WADE, Com'r.
B. H. WILEY, Com'r.

ATTEST:
J. C. HAMILTON, City Clerk.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Jefferson County, Greeting:

Oath having been made as required by law you are hereby commanded to summon Willie Brown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 60th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 60th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Jefferson County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Beaumont, on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1924, the same being the 1st day of December, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 1st day of July, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 23518, wherein Eva Brown is Plaintiff Willie Brown is Defendant. Said petition alleging: This is a suit for divorce. Plaintiff charges harsh and inhuman treatment, and prays judgment for divorce, costs of suit and such other and further relief as she may be entitled, etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, E. KIRBY SMITH, Clerk of the District Court of Jefferson County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Beaumont this the 20th day of October, A. D. 1924.

E. KIRBY SMITH,
Clerk, District Court, Jefferson County.
By J. C. SAFLEY, Deputy.

A true copy I certify. T. H. GARNER, Sheriff, Jefferson County, Tex.
By C. E. KENNEDY, Deputy.

WILL PROSECUTE

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the revenue, within 30 days after coming into possession of such knowledge to file with the district attorney of the district in which any fine penalty or forfeiture may be incurred, a statement of all the facts and circumstances of the case within his knowledge, together with the names of the witnesses."

La Follette Demands Publication of Tax As Checkup of Rich

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Declaring the treasury department's attitude toward publication of income conflicts with intents of congress, Senator Robert M. La Follette today telegraphed Senator Couzens of Michigan, chairman of the special treasury department investigating committee urging him to summon Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair and "ask them by what authority they seek to subvert the will of the people."

La Follette's telegram follows:

"Newspapers carry reports that Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair has issued warning threatening newspapers with fine and imprisonment if they publish lists of taxpayers and income taxes paid by them, which have been opened to inspection under mandatory provisions of revenue law.

"I believe Blair's threat violates the spirit of the publicity amendment of the law and subverts the intent of congress that the public should know who is paying taxes and how much they pay. The purpose of this amendment was to provide a means of checking up on tax dodgers by exposing the facts to public scrutiny.

"This purpose will be defeated if publication is prevented.

"This is another example of the arrogance of Mellon in setting himself up as a judge over congress, similar in purpose to his action in attempting to block investigation by the senate of his own department.

"I urge you to call Mellon and Blair immediately before your committee and ask them by what authority they seek to subvert the will of congress."

EXONERATE

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from overturning and probably killing and seriously injuring the nine firemen. The fire driver was not only exonerated completely but praised.

McFaddin, driver of the Buick, was arrested soon after the accident and made bond to appear before the city judge today. At his trial, McFaddin testified he did not hear the fire siren on the truck nor the big whistle at the central station two blocks away. He said he took it for granted when the chemical truck went on past there would be no other apparatus coming along. He roundly scored the traffic marker or "dead man" in the middle of the intersection stating the truck driver could have swerved to the left and missed the collision probably if the concrete block had not been in the way.

Bystanders testified two other cars ahead of McFaddin's pulled into the curb in front of Grammier's undertaking establishment near the intersection but that the Buick kept coming. McFaddin said he was driving between 15 and 18 miles an hour. He said he never had been able to hear fire alarms here since the big whistle was removed from central station.

On the evidence presented Judge Dycus said he could not find a case against McFaddin and dismissed him.

Estimate of damage to the hose truck had not been completed by Chief LaRose this morning. The whole body of the big machine was thrown about two inches out of line and was badly bent and scarred.

FATHER JOINS GIRL IN DEATH

Takes Life While Listening To Phonograph Dirge

SAN MATEO, Cal., Oct. 25.—Frank Chambers, Jr., has given up his wife, to join his daughter.

The daughter, Marilouise, aged 17, died three weeks ago. She shot herself to death.

Behind her she left a note which told in its brief lines and between them, a story of jealousy between her and her 19-year-old step-mother, over the attentions of Chambers.

Last night Chambers came home from Cypress Lawn Cemetery, where he spent three hours beside the urn which held the ashes of Marilouise.

He started writing a note on his typewriter, but destroyed it.

Then he put "Honeymoon Chimes" on his phonograph and shot himself to death.

Papers in the house, statements of friends and details learned in the investigation of the death of Marilouise, revealed a pitiful tale of how Chambers, son of a New York millionaire, and his daughter were both addicts of drugs.

They had indulged their habit together and then had fought together to drive it from them. Finally the element of jealousy between Marilouise and the 19-year-old step-mother had appeared and Marilouise called a taxicab, drove to the San Francisco waterfront and there, as the cab stopped, shot herself to death.

"Stop taking things and be yourself," she wrote in a farewell letter to her father.

Amusements

SATURDAY

Cameo: Douglas MacLean in "Never Say Die."
Peoples: Viola Dana and Monte Blue in "Revelations."
Liberty: Edmund Cobb in "Western Yesterdays."
Strand: Jackie Coogan in "Little Robinson Crusoe."
Green Tree: Dustin Farnum in "The Man Who Won."

THREE APPEALS FILED

AUSTIN, Oct. 25.—Appeals in the cases of Willard Adkins, burglary five years; H. G. Phillips, forgery two years, and Marvin Bell, theft, 5 years, all from Dallas county, have been filed in the court of criminal appeals.

ASKS QUIZ OF JAP INFLUX TO MEXICO

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Investigation of alleged Japanese colonization schemes in Mexico was asked of the state department today by Representative Phil Swing, republican, of California, who announced following a visit at the department that the inquiry would be made.

ONTARIO VOTES DRY, WETS THREAT SECESSION

OTTAWA, Oct. 25.—Northern Ontario, where a "wet" vote predominated, only to be mopped up by the "dry" votes of the south as the province retained prohibition by a majority of 40,000 in Thursday's election, is demanding local option. There is much talk of secession from the province if government sale of liquor, the alternative to prohibition, is not permitted in the north.

The latest figures on the province-wide vote were:

Prohibition, 541,003.
Government control 501,124.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water cools, heals and strengthens sore, weak, tired eyes. All Druggists 25c. —Adv.

Poison Oak and Ivy

is relieved quickly and permanently with Imperial Eczema Remedy. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

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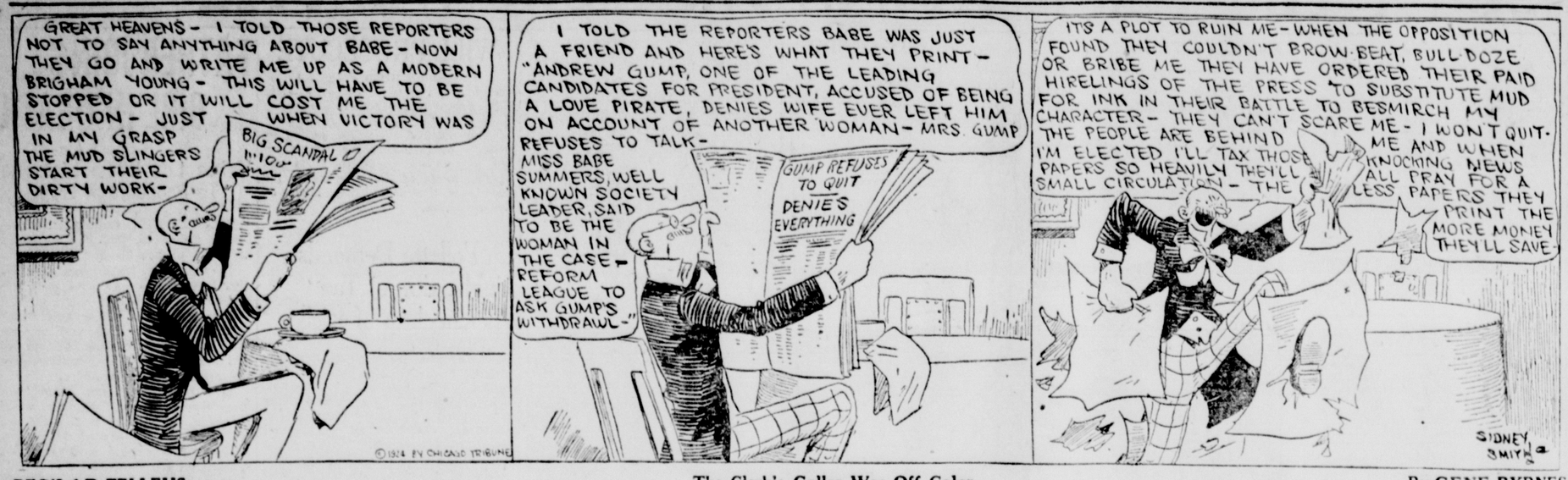
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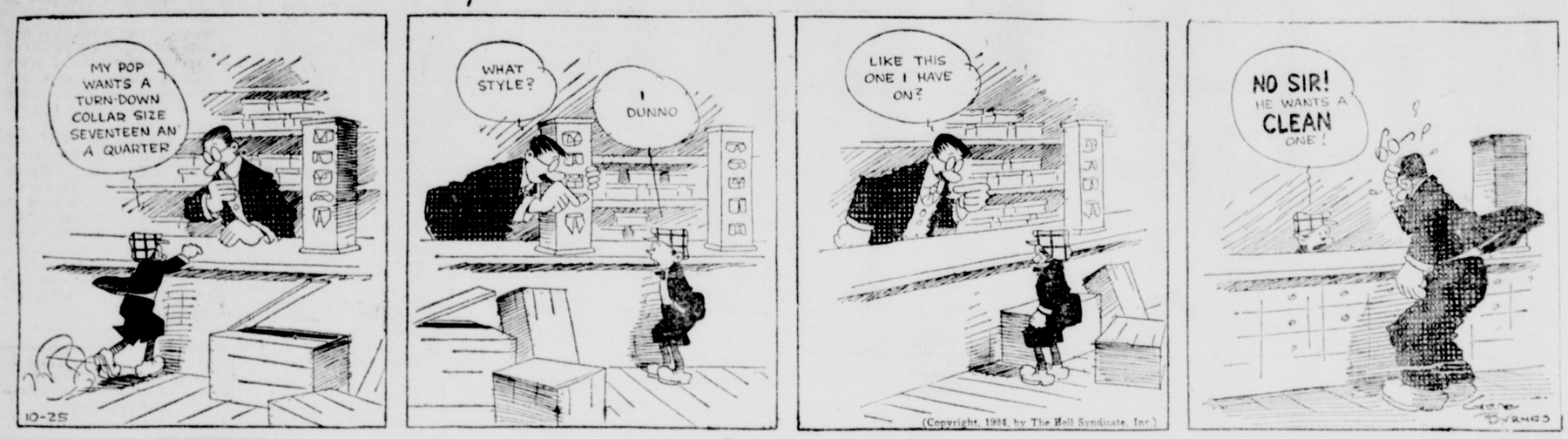
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NO. 5—THE SEVEENTH FLOOR OF THE SKY



"Why, my dear sair!" said the apple-tree fairy to the frog, "who ever heard of a puddle in the sky?"

Daddy Gander had his magic dust-pan in the boughs of the apple tree and he and the Twins got into the little elevator run by the apple-tree fairy.

"Ding, ding!" went the fairy. "All aboard for the sky!"

He pushed a thingamagig and pulled a thingamadadger and turned a thingamabob, and the little elevator started to go up.

Up and up and up it went until it came to the seventeenth floor of the sky.

Then the apple-tree fairy pushed open a door made out of a piece of cloud and they all stepped out.

"What a funny place!" Nancy couldn't help exclaiming.

"I knew you would think so," said the apple-tree fairy. "But it is the best we can do. Such funny things get blown up to the sky!"

Hardly had he finished speaking when up hopped a frog.

"Oh, sir!" croaked the frog. "Won't you please find me a puddle. I'm so homesick I don't know what to do."

"Why my dear sir!" said the apple-tree fairy to the frog, "who ever heard of a puddle in the sky? Couldn't you swim around in a cloud or something?"

"It's very poor swimming," said the frog.

"Well, said the apple-tree fairy, "I'll put you down in my book. When there is another waterspout, I'll send you down to the earth."

"Thank you," said the frog.

By this time the apple-tree fairy was surrounded by all sorts of creatures, each clamboring to be heard.

"Mister Fairy Man," said a big turkey gobbler. "There is no corn up here and I'm getting as thin as a rail trying to eat broom straws."

"Well I should think you would thank me for that," said the fairy, "it being so near to Thanksgiving and everything. But be patient. All the farmers are filling up their corn cribs down on the earth. It is only a matter of a few days until a tornado is sure to come along and blow bushels of corn up to the sky. By the way, did you see the Cow-With-the-Crumpled-Horn or the Rooster That Crowed-in-the-Morn?"

"I'll go and ask the Scare-Crow," said the gobbler.

Pretty soon he came slowly back. "They are not here," he said, "the Scare-Crow knows them well and he would be sure to know."

"Dear, dear!" said Daddy nGader. "Let us go and look for ourselves."

But the Tattered Man and his wife were not to be found. Or Jack's house either. "Something else must have happened to it," said Daddy Gander.

"I don't know what," said the apple-tree fairy. "I surely hope they find it. It had such a cute front porch 'n everything. I watched every nail he put into it."

They all got into the elevator and ding, ding! Back they came to the apple tree where Daddy Gander found his magic dust-pan just as he had left it.

(To Be Continued)

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CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

ENGLAND BEATS SPAIN'S GREAT FLEET

You can be sure that the king of Spain did not like the idea of having the English steal his American treasure. When he saw that Drake was not punished, but honored, he became more angry than ever. Orders were given for a great Spanish fleet to be got ready.

The new Spanish fleet came to be known as the "Invincible Armada," which means "the armed ships which couldn't be beaten." Another name of this fleet was the Great Armada. We shall use it because it is more simple—and truthful.

It took Spain six or eight years to get the Great Armada ready for war. During that time, Drake made another trip to America. He also captured a large ship returning to Spain frim India. It was loaded with spices and jewels. Even more important, it contained maps showing how to get to India by water. These maps helped the English to get started trading with India.

At last the Spaniards were ready with their giant fleet. It sailed to the British channel, to punish the English for all the wrong done by Hawkins, Drake and other British pirates.

Queen Elizabeth put her fleet in charge of a captain Lord Howard and Francis Drake.

On the first day of the battle, the Spanish fleet was much larger and stronger. It had 128 large ships against 54 smaller ones. The English, however, were wise enough not to risk too much fighting until help came. Within a few days, the number of English ships had passed 150.

Before the fighting began, the crew of each Spanish ship knelt down and prayed. They "begged the Lord to give them victory." The English sailors also prayed that they might win.

As time passed, the fighting grew hotter and hotter. Night came and the battle was not over. Day after day, it went on. Cannon and muskets flamed, crashed and crakeed. Now and then a ship went to the bottom, amid the groans and shrieks of its sailors. The decks of other ships were strewn with dead and dying. Blood flowed in such streams that it sometimes dripped over the sides of a ship, making crimson streaks.

Seven days passed, and then came victory for the English. The fleet "which couldn't be beaten" was driven to flight. Only a small part of it ever got back to Spain.

Stowaway's Citizenship Complicates His Case

In a query as to his citizenship, whether Spanish, French or American, Carlo Foulon, 18-year-old stowaway who came here recently on a ship from Galveston, is being held in the city jail as an alien where he will remain until a ship arrives to take him back to Spain.

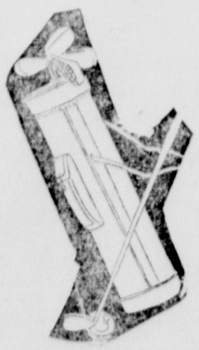
Immigration authorities here were appealed to by Foulon, who said he was born in Spain, removed to France by his parents when 5 and then came to the United States on his own accord. Immigration men moved he is a native of Spain and a citizen of that country.

Lieuts. Smith and Arnold of the world fliers will each be presented with an automobile by the city of Chicago, for which city their flag plane was named.

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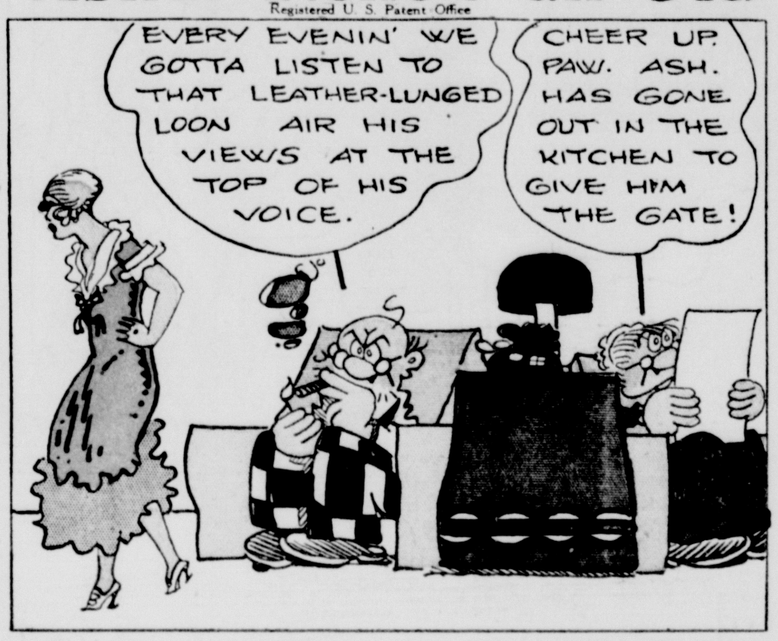
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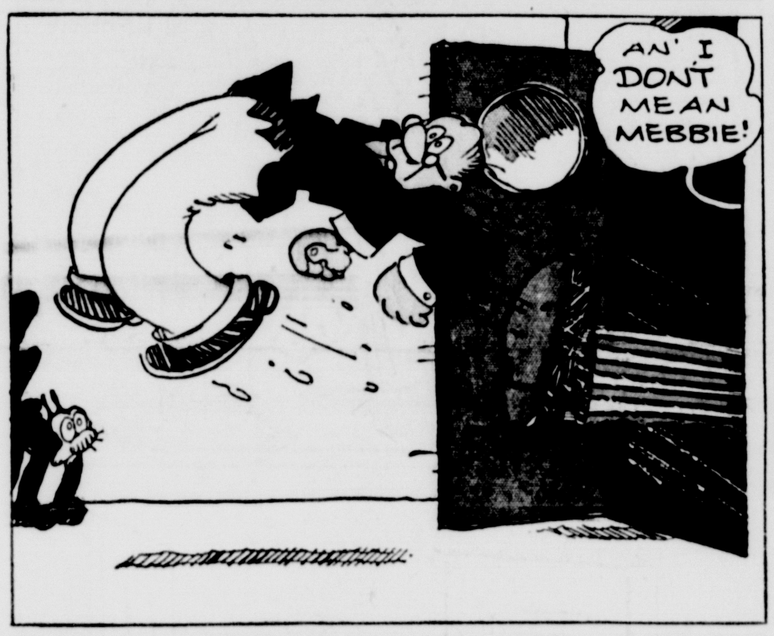
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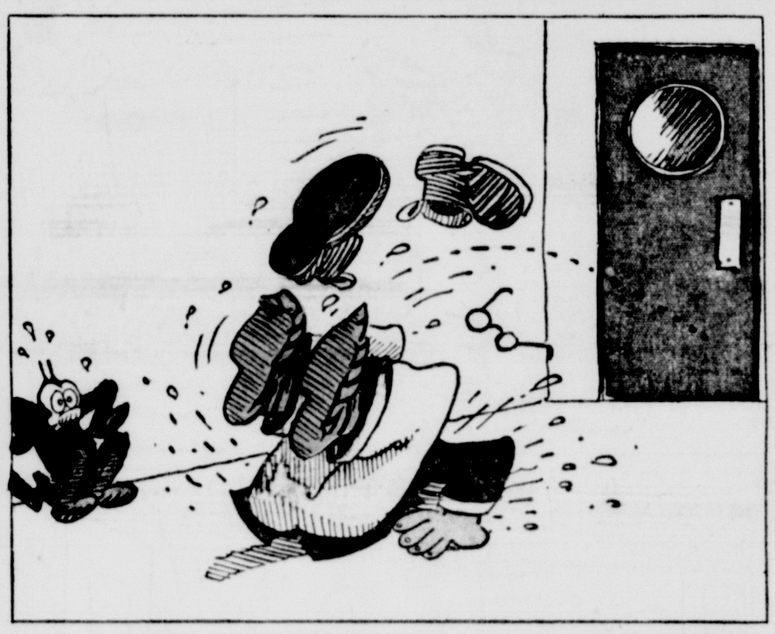
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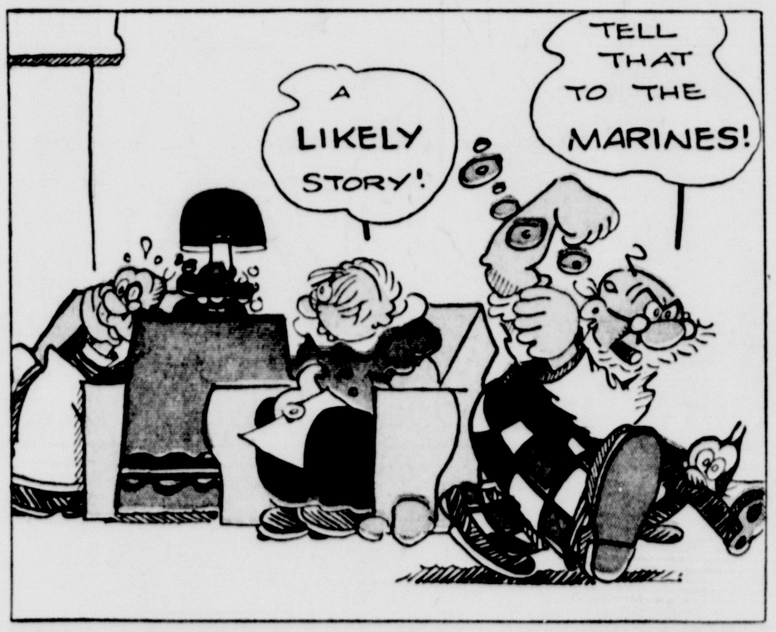




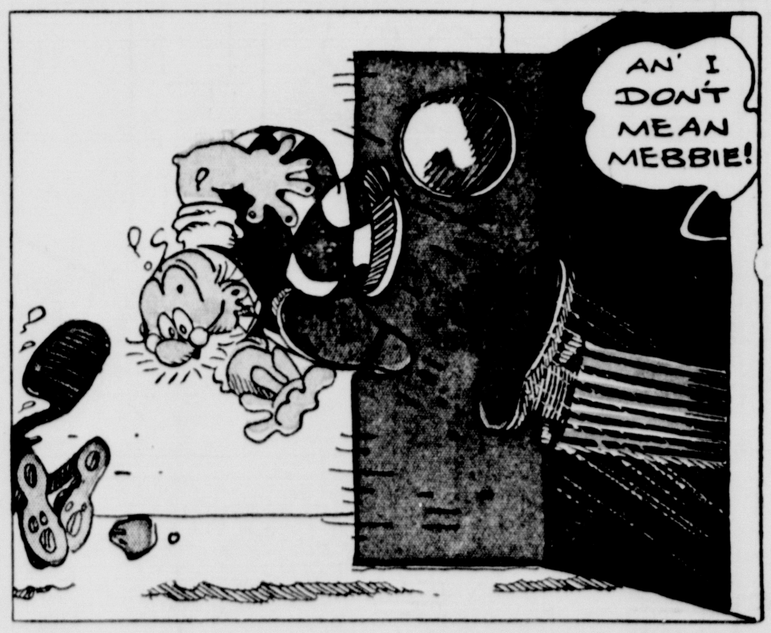


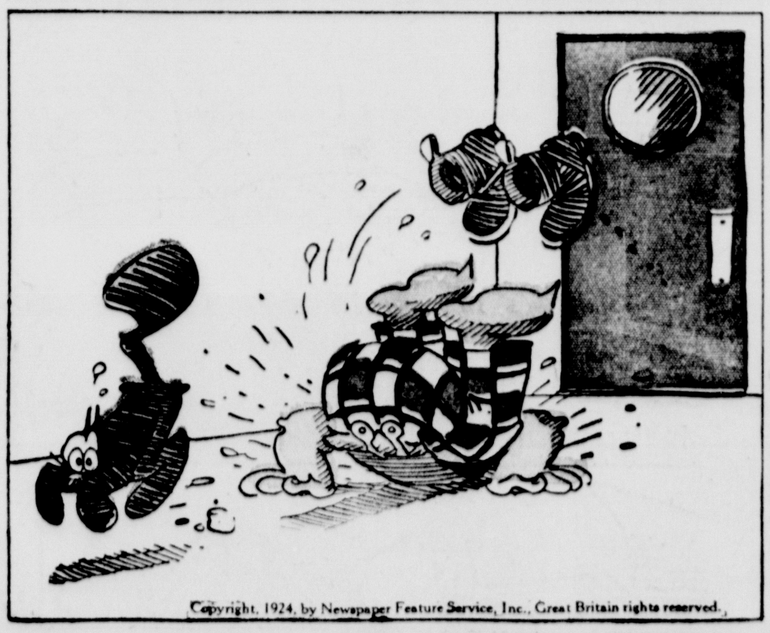
















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WHAT WILL YOUR MAJESTY HAVE FOR DINNER?

SOME ROAST TOIKEY AND A COUPLE OF APPLE TOINOVERS

DREAM

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE KING?

I THINK HE'S A PIECE OF CHEESE!

Happy Hooligan

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BOYS, I'M BROKE! I WANT TO MARRY THE DAUGHTER OF MR. GOOSEBERRY, THE MULTI-MILLIONAIRE! HE IS COMING HERE TO TALK IT OVER WITH ME. I MUST MAKE A GOOD IMPRESSION ON HIM. NOW, LISTEN,—

GO AHEAD, MR. CHUMLEY!

1

YOU GO AND HIRE TWO LIVERIES FROM A COSTUMER. ONE OF YOU CAN POSE AS MY BUTLER AND THE OTHER AS MY FOOTMAN. OLD MAN GOOSEBERRY WILL THINK I'M RICH. TAKE THE LITTLE CAR AND HURRY

WE GET YOUSE!

2

STEP ON THE GAS, HAPPY! WE MUST GET BACK WITH THESE SUITS!

I'LL PUT ON A BOIST OF SPEED!

3

HEY, LOOK OUT!

I'LL BE THE FOOTMAN!

I'LL BE THE BUTLER! HAR. HAR!

4

I'LL REMEMBER THEIR FACES!

5

THEY'RE A POIFECT FIT

THEY OUGHTA MAKE A HIT WITH MR. GOOSEBERRY

HURRY AND PUT THEM ON. HE'S DUE IN A FEW MINUTES

6

COME ON, BOYS, DO YOUR STUFF, HERE HE IS:

KNOCK

KNOCK

KNOCK

YESSIR, COMING, SIR:

7

AW,- YOU WISH TO SEE MR. CHUMLEY!

AW,- YOUR CARD, PLEASE.

8

9

BE CALM, MR. GOOSEBERRY! WHAT HAVE MY DOMESTICS DONE?

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THEY'RE YOUR DOMESTICS, ARE THEY! FOR TWO CENTS I'D GIVE YOU THE SAME. YOUR ENGAGEMENT WITH MY DAUGHTER IS OFF!

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WHAT DID YOU DO TO MR. GOOSEBERRY?

I NEVER SAW HIM BEFORE!

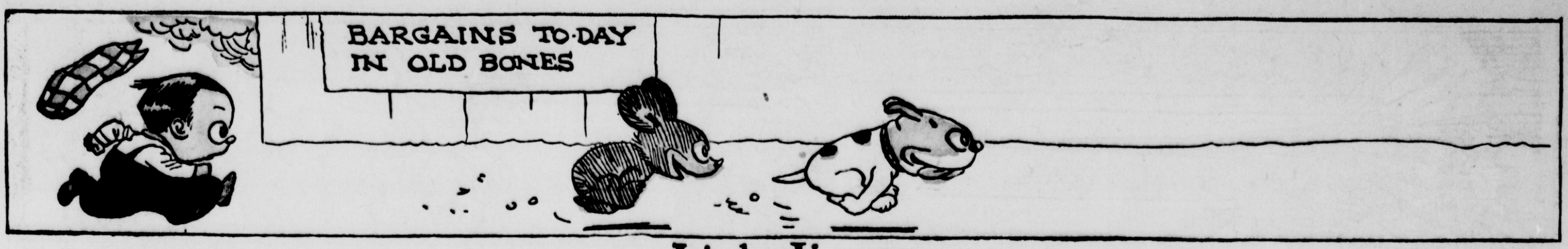
HE'S A POIFECT STRANGER TO ME!

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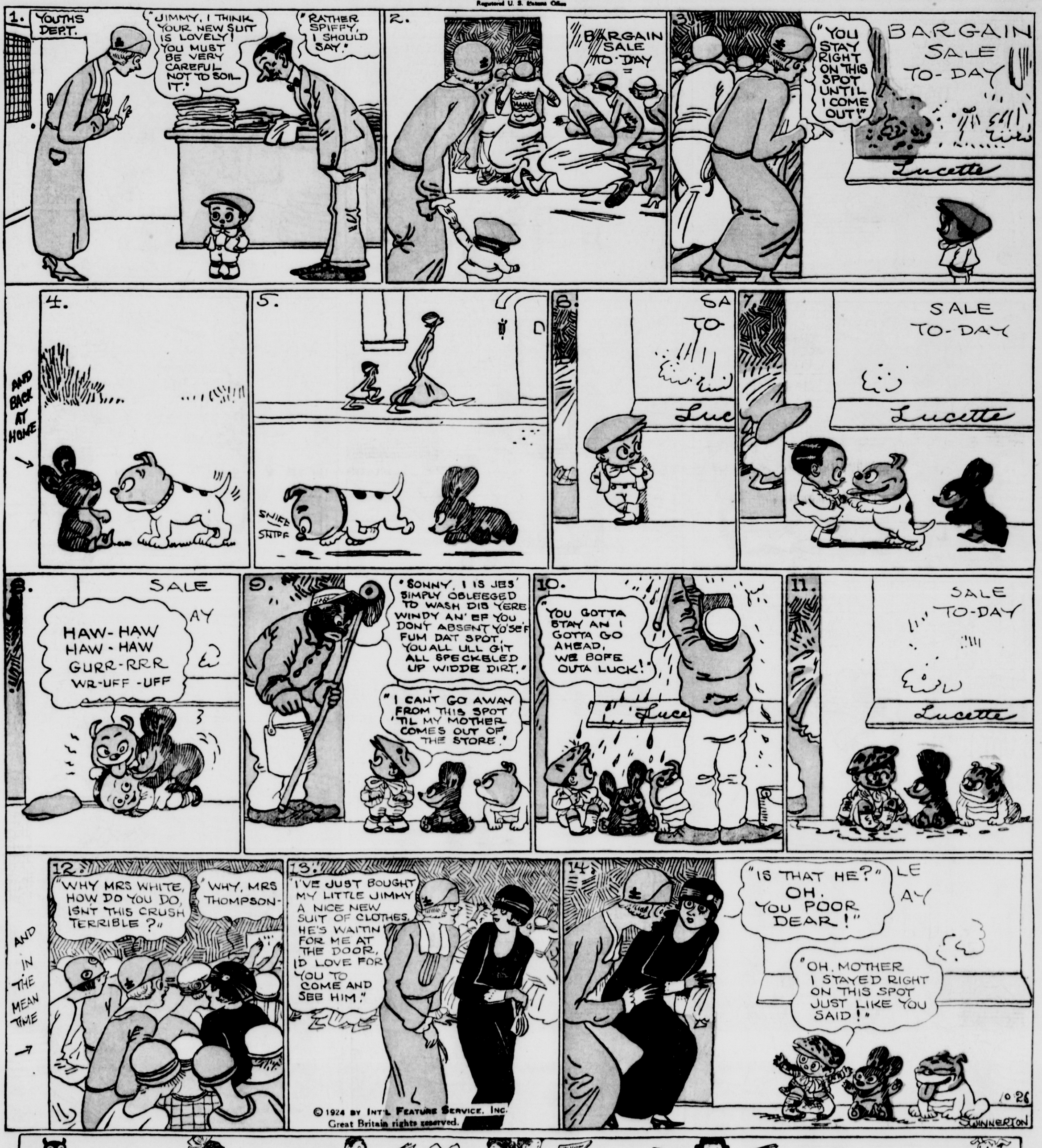
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